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The Week At Ottawa

Landslide in Ontario the Topic of the Times at the Capital.

Goldwin Smith Expressed His Pleasure at Verdict of Electors.

British Columbia Members are Divided on Close Salmon Season.

From Our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, Jan. 28.—The provincial campaign has overshadowed Dominion polities this week. The ter-Wednesday simply took the breath of Liberals away and it has put heart into the Conservatives from one end of the country to the other.

Some Liberal readers may be doubtful as to the real extent of the charges of corruption against the Ross government, but it is evident from the result that the people of Ontario, irrespective of party politics, were absolutely certain that the recomplete of Ontario, irrespective of party politics, were absolutely certain that corruption was rampant in the Liberal ranks and had made up their minds that Ross "must go." I had a letter this morning from that life-long Liberal, Goldwin Smith, who declared that the result was not so much a triumph of party as an insurrection against the "machine." The government was beaten, Goldwin Smith declared, by the votes of the independents, whose number is increasing, and of bolting Liberals, while other Liberals abstained from voting. Opposition to corruption was the main factor in the contest and the result for reform he thinks is creditable to the people of Ontario. Expressions of opinion of this kind, coming from a man of such high standing as Professor Smith, is worthy of recording. All lovers of fair play in election matters must rejoice that the gang of crooks (as the Ottawa Free Press styled them) by whom Ross was surrounded, had been put out of business, let us hope for all time.

The Commons have not had a single evening sitting this week, and the general impression is that the government is marking time in order to mature its measures, which, though not numerous, are important.

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Then Hon, Messes, Fielding and Sifton are away-and without them neither tariff matters nor the territories bill can be definitely decided. The latter measure may meet with some friction, which will require generalship to minimize. Overtures have been made to move to insert in the bill a clause creating two new provinces, provisions for the establishment by land grants of Roman Catholic curate schools, and if the government accedes to this request there may be a bitter fight.

British Columbia matters are attract-

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British Columbia matters are attracting some attention in parliament. The delay in filling the vacant public positions in the province will be brought to the attention of the house. It is obvious that the government has refrained from filling them until after the elections, as it did not want to antagonize the friends of the different aspirants.

Mr. Spreade has a series of questions.

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Mr. Sproule has a series of questions on the order paper regarding the collectorship of customs at Victoria and will follow it up with one regarding the vacant county court judgeship. There are scores of applications for the latter job with a strong pull in fayor of W. W. B. McInnes. The opposition to him comes from some of his own friends, who say that if he quits the provincial house there will be practically no one left to make a decided fight against the provincial government in British Columbia. The opposition must be hard pressed if they have to rely on only one man.

The solid seven from British Columbia here feel somewhat cocky these days and yesterday Mr. Maepherson brought up the question in the house of the province of British Columbia for a room where the Pacific coast contingent

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with a letter which had apparently gone through the mail. It was thought that these shown to Mr. Ames committee would be sufficient to throw them off their guard. Mr. Ames, however, had a splendid corps of volunteer workers and a mumber of detectives in his employ. The letter discovered that a number of empty envelopes had been put through the electric stamping machine in the Montreal post office as a part of the game. Sir William Mulock had to admit that there had been gross irregularities and he promised that if it were possible the parties who had been guilty of this breach of the postal regulations would be punished.

According to the statement of Hon. Mr. Prefontaine, it is doubtful whether the government ice breakers operating for the first time on the St. Lawrence for the first time on the St. Lawrence this winter can carry out the work for which they were intended. The Champisin, which was to keep the channel open between the river Onille and Murray bay, has had to tie up because of a heavy ice gorge on the shores. The steamer Montealm, which cost \$727,090, and is operated at a cost of \$150,000, for a while prevented the lee bridge format Cane Roure, nine miles above Quebec, which is the key to the situation. On her last attempt the Montealm broke two propellor blades and has had to lie up for repairs. In the meantime the ice bridge formed at Cape Rouge to the

Saint Alice Natural Mineral Water

thickness of thirty feet and now it would be impossible to break it. Had this bridge not "taken," navigation to Montreal would probably have opened three weeks earlier this spring.

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A poll of the British Columbia delegation shows that Messrs. Macpherson, Ross and Gallagher favor the closing down of canning operations for two years, while Messrs. Riley, Smith and Kennedy oppose, and Air. Sloan is neutral. I was informed today by a high authority that the prospects are that the close season men will carry the day unless the opposition propose to put up a stronger fight.

a stronger fight.

Their Excellencies have returned from Montreal delighted with the cordiality of the reception they received there. The governor general and party will vicit the Territories and the Pacific const this

summer.

Lord Minto has been created an honorary commissioner of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police.

The Pacific Bank of Canada will ask for an extension of time within which to take out its certificate to do business, E. A. Jukes, Toronto; W. S. McNunara, H. B. Larkin, F. T. Har and W. D. Woodruff have been incorporated as the Nicola Valley Coal and Coke Co.; capital, million dollars; headquarters, St. Catharines.

RUSSIAN REFUGEES.

Berlin, Jan. 28,-Foreign residents

In Leash

Almost a Million Men and 2,500 Guns Are Ready for the

All Former Battles Will Be Overshadowed by the Coming Struggle.

Russian's Successful Advance Continues on Gen. Oyama's Flank.

T. PETERSBURG, Jan. 28.—The general staff has received the following despatch from General Sakharoff, General Kuropatkin's chief of staff: "Our troops continue on the offensive at Sandapas. South of there our cavalry encountered four Japanese battalious and six squadrons of

STRUCK BY TROLLEY CAR.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Jan. 28.—Thos. Williams of Lewiston and W. H. Bellinger, a well known farmer residing near Honawanda, were struck by a Buffalo trolley car at Lasalle early today and so badly injured that they are not expected to live.

ORANGES FROST BITTEN.

Tampa, Fla., Jan. 28.—Additional advices from throughout the orange belt show that out of 500,000 boxes of oranges and grape fruit remaining on the trees, about 75 per cent. have been frozen and made unsaleable. A big portion of this loss falls upon the buyers, who brought the crops on the trees, although some growers have been hard hit. The temperature at Arcadia went down to 18 above zero.

THE HUNGARDAN ELECTIONS.

Paris, Jan. 28.—The officials here consider that the recent elections in Hungary will probably exercise a far-reaching influence on European politics. The defeat of the Tisza element is construed as having given a serious impetus to the movement for the separation of Hungary from Austria. It is also anticipated that Austria is so occupied with home problems that it will be impossible for her to realize the projected extensions in the Balkans when the agitations in that quarter are resumed in the spring.

Is Executed

Agreement Existed Between City and Tramway Almost Two Months Ago.

Company to Have Exclusive Use of Water for Power at Goldstream.

Meyor's Explanation of Transaction and Waterworks Reorganization.

Reorganization.

A MPHOUGH very distinct and positive denial has been made, both by Mayor Barnard and aldermanic members of the council aboard of 1904, that any important business has been disposed or in sessiona not open to the press and public, it may occasion surprise to at least a portion of the community to learn that within a month or six weeks immediately previous to the expiry of their term of office, the council of last year saw fit to execute a memorandum of agreement with the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Limited, embodying an understanding between the corporation and the company of importance secondary to no municipal transaction in the past decade. By terms of this agreement it is provided that upon the city acquiring control of the waters of Goldstream, the company will become purchasers of its supply for power development, from the corporation, for a term of years, and will at the same time be granted the privilege of lighting the city streets and buildings at a stated price—said to be one-third less than the present cost. It is further stated that upon the report of Arthur L. Adams, the expert now on his way from San Francisco to investigate Goldstream conditions in the city's behalf, this memorandum of contract will be made public, and a bylaw placed before the ratepayers, through which their endorsement of the whole proceedings is hoped to be obtained.

As for the latter statement, it perhaps states but half the truth—the bylaw in prospect going much further thaa ratification of the contemplated partnership with the transway company—bat as to the existence of the preliminary agreement there is no denial.

"Why has so important a conditional contract, deeply affecting the welfare and future of the city, been kept so profound a secret from the citizens?"

This question, in effect, was asked of His Worship Mayor Barnard yesterday evening, and at the same time the Colonist requested permission to give the text of the interesting document to the public.

public.

One answer sufficed, in the mayor's opinion, for both interrogations. The negotiations culminating in the agreement and the agreement itself had not yet been presented to the public because the city's negotiations were, and still are, incomplete. It might very easily prejudice the city's interests to disclose the terms of the agreement prematurely.

Of course, the negotiative deal with

St. Petersburg, Jan. 28.—The real origin of the charges contained in the London telegram posted at Moscow by Assistant Police Chief Roudneff to the effect that Great Britain has been supplying money to tie up the Russian arsenals and dockyards for the purpose of aiding her ally Japan, is now definitely laid at the door of Grand Duke Sergius, The Grand Duke, according to absolute ty reliable information from Moscow, turned over the telegram to a Moscow, turned over the telegram to a Moscow, newspaper, which declined to print it, whereupon by the Grand Duke's direction, M. Roudneff placarded it in the streets. The Grand Duke Sergius' connection with the matter is believed to be greatly embarrassing Foreign Minister Lamsdorff, who is anxious to avoid complications. Sir Charles Hardinge, the British ambassador, followed up his request for an explanation Thursday with a letter on the subject vesterday, when the same charges in another form appeared in Mical air less there. Count Lamsdorff has not yet replied to this letter, although at the foreign office it is explained that official as well as amofficial papers print telegrams containing news which has not the slightest governmental sanction.

Moscow, Jan. 28.—Commenting on the London telegram, posted at Moscow, to the effect that Great Britain was supplying money to tie up Russian arsenals for the purpose of helping her ally Japan, one newspaper says; "This is not time for such practical jokes," and an ofther paper declares itself stupefied that the telegram should have been posted.

U. S. STEEL PRODUCTION.

Philadelphia, Jan. 28.—The Bulletin, the official organ of the American and the edity's incerests of disclose the catery of the tramway company is incidental to and a part of the prospect in civic incurs and apart of the prospect in civic incurs and a part of the prospect in civic incurs and a part of the propect in civic incurs. Of the plant, property and business. Of the Esquimalt Water Company is the larguette Railway Company is the tramway company of the v

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U. S. STEEL PRODUCTION.

Philadelphia, Jan. 2S.—The Bulletin, the official organ of the American and Steed Company, today gives the total production of all kinds of pig iron in the United States in 1904 as 16,49,335 tons, against 18,002,352 in 1903, and 17,821,307 tons in 1904 as 16,49,335 tons, against 18,002,352 in 1903, and 17,821,307 tons in 1902. The whole manher of furnices in blast on December 31, 1903.

PESSIMISTIC VIEW OF STRIKE.

German Miners Take Worst Idea For Probable Settlement.

Essen, Jan. 2S.—Since the conference between a committee of seven persons with the strikes have taken a possimate view of the situation and have abandoned hope for an early settlement of the strike. Commissioner Von Kolsen has returned to Herlin. The mine owners declare that the promised revision of the mining laws in the interest of operatives will have a damaging effect on the German manufacturing already tries, intensify in the complex of the strikes in the strikes of the strikes on the German manufacturing already tries, intensify and the immineration from the shows an increase of forward later on with greater demands.

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STRIKES IN RUSSIA SPREADING

ESPITE the fact that the strike in Russia is spreading in the Baltic provinces and in Poland, no disturbances of any important character are reported Saturday, and tranquility, it is hoped by the authorities, will prevail today. In Moscow, where 20,000 men are still out, although work has been resumed in nearly all the mills, the situation appears to be threatening. The men in the industreet undoubtedly would be disorders today.

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The authorities say that measures have been taken to prevent trouble in Moscow. Arms have been removed from gunsmiths' shops and patrols of the streets are continued.

In the Baltic provinces and in Poland the strikers are cutting telegraph lines and interrupting communications, and fears are expressed for most serious disorders, especially in Poland.

No further reports have been received at St. Petersburg concerning the fighting in Manchuria, although in military circles in the capital a report is current that General Kuropatkin has broken through General Oyama's left wing and now the catens the Japanese communications with Yinkow. The Associated Press learns that General Kuropatkin has undertaken both lines of Japanese communications and forcing the Japanese communications.

Prince Of Wales' Visit to Ireland

His Royal Highness Received Every Evidence of Royal Respect.

U. S. Ambassador and Wife Are Guests of King Edward at Windsor.

London, Jan. 28.—The Prince of Wales, who spent the week shooting on Baron—Ardilaun's preserves, in the county of Mayo, Ireland, has been given a most hospitable reception everywhere in Ireland. The villagers and peasants cheered the Prince and every evidence of loyalty was shown him.

Dublin will be particularly loyal in her welcome. Wednesday will be given up to a levee and a state banquet in the drawing room of the castle. Friday the Prince of Wales will invest the lord mayor of Dublin with the decoration of Knight of the Order of St. Patrick. Great preparations are afoot for the reception of the Prince of Wales Tuesday evening. The Prince will leave for London Saturday.

London is beginning to fill up for the parliamentary season.

Thursday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Choate accompanied the Queen in a motor car to Virginia Water, where they took luncheon with King Edward, who was shooting partridge, Lord Landowne, Baron Hayashi and Count Wolff Netternich on Wednesday evening went to Windsor.

MISPLACED CHARGE OF GRAPE.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 28.—Formal charges of negligence and inattention to duty have been preferred against Sub-Lieut. Kuerezeff, who had immediate charge of the gun from which a shell was fired Feb. 19 during the ceremony of blessing the waters, which was a result of carelessness in leaving a charge of grape in the gun after a practice which had occurred two days previously.

U. S. SUGAR TESTS.

Companies Bring Suit Against Government Involving Many Millions.

New York, Jan. 28.—A new move was made today by the sugar-componies who for work have been attempting to do away with the system of sugar tests, which has been in vogue since 1897, when papers in 65 separate suits involving millions of dollars paid in sugar dues were filed against Collector Stranahan of this port. These suits involve every importation of sugar through this port since 1897. The attempt of the sugar companies to do away with the system of test has been fought out before in the boards of appraiser and before United States courts up to the coarts of appeals. It has been decided sucadily in favor of the government. The act of 1897 made the duty upon sugar imported into the United States contingent upon the test of sweetness, or the "percentage of pure sucrose contained in the sugar as ascertained by the polarizoope tests." The test has already been fought out and decided even by the Supreme court of the United States upon the merits of the test itself. The new suits are now brought on the ground that the secretary of the treasury, in making the ruling to carry out the law, acted unconstitutionally in addition in the polarizoope test. New York, Jan. 28 .- A new move was

Japanese fled, throwing their arms into ambulance wagons. One of our columns took thirty prisoners and another captured twenty."

Opinions differ here as to the significance and importance of the movement undertaken by General Kuropatkin. It is difficult to ascertain the truth. Many persons believe it is a genuine offensive movement against the Japanese to force them out of their winter quarters, while it is looked upon by others as being only a more or less serious operation undertaken upon orders from St. Petersburg to draw the attention of the people anew to the deatre of war. In the meantime the general staff maintains reticence regarding the plans of the commander-in-chief. All despatches from Russian correspondents at the front foreshadow a blood-battle of a decisive character. They tell of arrangements for the reception of many wounded, not only at Mukah but so far back as Hurbin, and speak of under yesterday's date of a general engagement in which almost a million men and 2,500 guns were to be involved, and say that the importance of the engagement will overshadow the battles of Shakhe river and Liaoyang. Rumors are already flying about of defeat and victory. Success will be of immeasurable value to the government at this juncture, while disaster would only complicate the situation and render the government's position critical.

Capital Resumes Normal Condition

St. Petersburg Again Presents the Ordinary Routine of City Life.

The Russ Attacks Censorship and Will Publish Truth as It Is Seen.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 18.—St. Pettersburg has entirely resumed its normal winter appearance. The ordinary routine is in effect and large forces of men are removing the heavy accumulation of snow piled up during the strike.

St. Petersburgers are beginning to discuss topics other than strikes, riot and revolution. The dailies except two appeared this morning in their accustomed form. The others will resume publication tomorrow. The papers are under orders to refrain from all save the most cautious comment on the occurrences of Sunday and the following days, and they do not print any details beyond the official reports, holding that as they are not permitted to print the truth fully and freely they will print nothing further.

The Russ, however, indulges in an open attack on the censorship, which is declares to be inadvisable and inimical to the true interests of Russia/at such a critical time, and appeals to the newspapers throughout the land to disregard it, and print the truth as they see if. The paper serves plain notice on the government that the recent events indicate that all Russia is demanding terors and that the elements of the Zemstvoists voice the feeling of the Russia, it adds, are not pickpockets, criminals or actiators, but landed proprietors, the educated classes and intelligent laborers.

In the press, the Russ continues, the In the press, the Russ continues, the government has an unbiased and conscientious adviser.

The rulers of Russia dare not close their cars to all but one set of opinion. The Russ also prints a nineteen-column discussion of the labor question in Rus-

CHILE'S WARSHIPS.

Santiago de Chile, Jan. 28.—An American firm has offered a high price for six Chilian warships, but congress in secret session has refused to sell them.

MOUNTAIN CLIMBER,

New York, Jan. 28.—A Valparaiso, Chile, despatch to the Herald says, Pedeba Rasignola, a well known-Itelian of Buenos Avres, who has figured as a mountain climber and pedestrian, has just accomplished the bring feat of crossing the Cordillers as misains by an extensionly, making the cet.

Grand Duke Makes A Foolish Break

Investigation Reveals Sergius as the Author of Libelous Telegram.

Great Britain Accused of Fomenting Trouble in Russian Navy Yards.

Increase During December,

Washington, Jan. 28.—An almost startling increase in immigration is shown by the December figures comulied by Commissioner of Immigration Surgent. The increase in the number of immigration from both Russia and Austria-Hungary is partly noteworthy and the increase from Russia is considered especially significant. In December, 1902, the number of immigrants arriving from Russia was 10,084; in December, 1902, 10431, and in December, 1903, 10431, and in December, 1904, 15 992. Compared with December, 1904, 15 992. Compared with December, 1904, 18 992. Compared with December, 1904, 18 992. The immigration from Austria-Hungary in December slows an increase of 12,788 over that of December, 1903, aggregating 23,433. From the whole of Powers the immigration best year was 18,993, an increase of 17,578 over December a year ago. The total immigration for the month was 62,792.

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A feature of this sale will be the opening of our Wall Paper Department. We will be able to save you at least 50 per cent. on all your wall papers. Papers that have been selling for 50c. a roll we are able to sell at 10c. a roll; 75c. qualities, for 25c. and 40c.; bedroom papers from 1c. a roll. Papers that we will offer for sale at 1c., 3c., 5c. and 8c. a roll have actually been sold at 25c a roll. The success of this Department is assured.

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Threaten Oyama's Communications

Russians Are Reported to Have Plerced Japanese Left Wing.

Emperor and Advisers Not Deci ded on the Question of Reforms.

thing certain is that the Emperor and his advisers have not reached a decision regarding further action. It is known, however, that a project for the creation of a sort of Zemstkyzabor with a limited membership and along the lines of the old Russian land nardiament as a consultative body to His Majecty but without power of action, has been discussed.

SITUATION IMPROVING.

Paris, Jan. 29.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Echo De Paris telegraphs an interview he had with Finance Minister Vokovsoff, in which the minister declared that the situation was improved, that the admiralty yards are working and that the economic situation in Russia is favorable. A general strike, he said, is improbable.

PORTLAND'S EXPOSITION.

Agreement Reached to Keep Fair Open on Sundays.

Paris, Jan. 28.—President Roosevel

Spiritualism

Tries A Guess

Little Folks.

Investigation Will Prove or Dis

prove the Soundness of Her

Dream Theories.

Yellow Point, across the bay from Lady The letter gives the police ful

DADYSMITH NOTES.

U. S. AMBASSADOR'S BRILLIANT RECEPTION

Mr. Porter Entertains Members of International Commission at Paris

Newfoundland Schooners Frozen in and Crews in Danger.

St. John's Nild., Jan. 28.—The Glongester schooners Lewis Giles, Hattie Graham, Amile Parker and A. R. Bria, with cargoes of herrings, are frozen in the iee floe in the Bay of Islands. The schooners Perkins and Atlanta, with similar cargoes, are supposed to be frozen in the iee in the Gulf of St. Graham, Almie Parker and A. R. Brill, with cargoes of herrings, are frozen in the jee floe in the Bay of Islands. The schooners Perkins and Atlanta, with similar cargoes, are supposed to be frozen in the ice in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The crews of the latter two vessels may be in danger owing to the flerce blizzards in the ice floes.

New York, Jan. 28.—W. Heinze and his wife Annie were found, seated side in two chairs in the kitchen of their apartment in Williamsburg today, their hands clasped, Heinze dead and his wife dying. The room was full of voal gas, which was flowing from the kitchen range, and the physicians who were called say they were undoubted by overcome as they sat talking to one another.

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German Artists Interested in Prisone Held by Russians.

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Portland, Orc., Jan. 28.—The Lewis and Clark exposition will be open on Sundays, according to an announcement made today by the fair directors. After an extended conference between the clergymen of the city and the exposition managers it has been decided to allow visitors to attend the exposition on Sundays and to keep the exhibits in full operation for the benefit of those who cannot attend on week days. Out of consideration for those who favor a quiet Sunday the "Trail" amusements will be suppressed on Sunday.

Held by Russians.

Berlin, Jan. 28.—German artists are alarmed as to the fate of Maxim Gorky, the Russian author, who was recently attended at Riga in connection with the stand taken by him in the strike riots, for an extended conference between the clergymen of the city and a spontaneous movement has begun for a formal anpeal to Emperor Nichler of the consideration for the benefit of those who cannot attend on week days. Out of consideration for those who favor a quiet Sunday the "Trail" amusements will be suppressed on Sunday.

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MOSCOW DOES NOT EXPECT TROUBLE

Authorities Satisfied That They Have Situation Well In Hand.

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HAPPENINGS ON THE MAINLAND

Skull-Rumore t C. P. K Purchase.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, Jan. 28.—Tom Johnston, a colored man, a fugitive from the police, took an astonishing leap for liberty this afternoon. The detectives state positively that, just as he was arrested in the second atorey of a disreputable house on Hastings streets, he jumped through the window, turned over once sidewalk. It is reported tonight that he will not die.

And so the lady wrote a letter to Constable Neen of Xanaimo describing her vision.

The lady was disinclined to be over communicative as to the full details of the "impression." It was gathered, however, that her idea was that the children had strayed away and been abode. Their place it seems is about 14 miles from Xanaimo and on the opposite side of the river.

"Of course," said the lady, speaking of this, "they would have to go across in a canoe."

"I do not think," said she, "that the Indian woman is purposely detaining the Indian woman is purposely detaining the woman to go into town and let the people know that the children were at her place.

As the reporter got the story, in fitful and diffident passages, its consistency seemed to be marred by some pretty formidable jogs. Indeed the lady herself evinced anything but assurance in the positiveness of her impressions, and seemed rather timid about giving them to the public.

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"Still," observed she, "I have had other things turn out right. I foretold the Clallam disaster, the burning of the pithead at Nanaimo, the fire on the steamer Queen, the Victorian conflagration, and other things."

The reporter admitted that there might be something in it and expressed the hope that everything would pan out as the lady suggested. PERMANENT CURE FOR BRONCHITIS PERMANENT CURE FOR BIOLEURICAL With broughtts from the rage of three weeks offentimes I thought she would choke to death. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine brought relief, and further treatment made a thorough cure. This trouble used to come back from time to time, but the cure is now permanent."—Mrs. Richmond Withrow, Shubenneadle, Hants Co., N. S.

COMMERCIAL TREATIES.

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Davis stock company, a successful engagement ones here for all of next ones here for all

stantial improvement of the position of German farmers. The treaties are supplemental to existing ones, hence nothing is changed as to the provisions in the existing treaties covering the most-favored nation clause. The Russian treaty, the paper says, contains no innovation in the form of a provision for arbitration commissions to settle tariff disagreements. No common date is fixed for the geing into effect of the treaty, but it ranges between January 1, 1906, and July 1, 1906. All of them continue in force until 1917, when one year's notice will be given for denunciation.

INTEGRITY OF CHINA

Baron Hayashi Talks to Associated Press on Hay's Note.

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company for its withdrawal from the field. It has, however, taken a legal opinion as to its rights under somewhat contradictory legislation, for there is a statute under which the city of Victoria has prior right to all water within

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Ladysmith, Jan. 28.—Fire last night destroyed the laundry of Mar Park, an over-fed stove being the cause of origin. The flames were prevented from spreading by the bucket brigade.

The Russell-Davis stock company, having closed a maccastil engagement of Vanaimo, comes here for all of next week.

SUNDAY, JAN. 29, 1905.

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THE DIFFERENCE.

When Mr. McBride had the temerity to speak in behalf of certain of the Con-servative candidates during the Domin-ion general election campaign, he drew upon himself the wrath and vituperation of the Liberal papers of the Prov ince. Apart from the shock to their sense of propriety which his action caused, they declared that it was unprecedented, indecent and gravely questioned whether it was not a blow at the constitution and a menace to the rights conferred by Magnav The idea of a Provincial Premier stepping into the Dominion arena to defend the interests of his party re-vealed to their horrified vision a depth of political depravity to which they had not supposed, till that moment, any Can-adian public man could descend. Hence their tears. Time happily healed their outraged feelings, and the incident was swallowed up in the vortex of subsequent events. The Colonist recalls it for the purpose of pointing out that those same papers recorded, with admiring approbation, Sir Wilfrid Laurier's active participation in the recent Ontario campaign, in which the issue broadly stated, was the revolt of an outraged people against the perpetuation of political methods which had caused their Province to be disgraced through out the Empire. If Mr. McBride's ac tion were questionable as a breach of political ethics, what could be said to condone Sir Wilfrid's? Whatever justification there was for Premier McBride, there certainly could be little said in favor of Sir Wilfrid's defence of the Ross administration, except, perhaps, as "a leg up" to an old political and personal friends, who otherwise deserved no consideration.

FISHERIES RESEARCH STATION.

is practically what it advocated a short time since. It is something that should have been undertaken years ago in the interests of the fishing industry. It has been a complaint of long standing that the Department of Fisheries had never done anything to acquire accurate and scientific knowledge of the fishes of these waters. Little is known of their habits, of their periods of spawning and migrations, their feeding grounds and a hundred and one other things important to be ascertained for the development of the fishery industry on a scale commensurate with its opportunities. The field is a very wide one, and the suggestions for useful work in many directions are numerous. We are told that the proposed station for biological investigation will take in hand all these things indicated. There will be a special steamer fitted up with all the necessary dredging and other apparatus, and a special staff of experts will conduct the investigations. We have aiways felt the work so successfully accomplished by the United States Fish-Commission should be undertaken on this coast as well as on the Atlantic The food fishes which are so abundant, outside of halibut and salmon, are not utilized to any extent commercially, and we believe largely on account of lack of knowledge concerning them and the methods that should be employed. There are also much to be learned respecting the possibilities of oyster and lobster culture. We trust, however, that the station will be practical and experimental as well as scientific. We want to know not only all about our fish, but we want to know how to make them commercially valuable. Experimonts should be made to determine the most practical methods of catching, carcanning or otherwise rendering them marketable. In addition to that there should be a commercial department to ascertain where the markets are to be found when the products are ready to be sold. Conducted on such a basis the station would be of incalculable

"WHAT'S IN A NAME?"

The Colonist has called attention on of the Eastern press in invariably speaking of Manitoba and the Territories as "The West," and has ventured to point States Senate and House of Represenout to its contemporaries that the term tatives, a pointful to invest ate the state is a misapplication tending to mislead of United States shipping, has reported readers abroad. Time was when all the country west of Montreal was called the West, and by some unaccountable the West, and by some unaccountable numbers, and recommends that Congress perversion of geographical fact all the takes steps for the encouragement of shipbuilding. As almost the whole was known as the Northwest. When the Dominion was created the use of the term had been hallowed by custom, and the United States is in the hands of British, French and German to its great detriment all the vast central prairie, the great wheat and cattle ranges were marked on the map North-west Territories. How many settlers were deterred from making their homes in Canada by that unfortunat prefix will never be known, but there can be no question of the fact that, suggestive of ed a strong factor in peopling Minnesota, Dakota and Kansas at our expense. Had the men responsible for the naming of the territory acquired from the Hudson's Bay Company taken the trouble to give the matter a little right to an honest opinion at has the thought, it must have struck them as a strange anomaly to call what was merit, of which some of his political collections. really the southern and central portion of the Dominion the Northwest. A political effect something he does not glance at the map of the Dominion will believe in. However, what Sir Mackenshow that the country lying between Lake Superior and the foothills of the Rocky Mountains, and between the in- When the real interests of British Co-

katchewan River, is central or middle Canada; British Columbia is, properly speaking, southwestern Canada, while Yukon and Mackenzie are the Northvest Territories.

We, British Columbians, do not object o the term West when it is applied to all the country west of Ontario, but we protest against our Province being ignor-ed by Eastern papers when they discuss "Western" subjects in confining the name to Manitoba and the Territories, which are, while lying west of their sphere of vision, geographically midway of the Dominion.

Some years ago a bill was introduced in the Senate by Hon. M. A. Girard to do away with the name Northwest Territories and to otherwise settle the nomenclature of the central, western and northern portion of the Dominion. The old label appears on the maps to dis credit the vastest and most fertile grain fields of the world. The press of Canada could, by united effort, put an end to this anomalous state of things. As a beginning, if news editors would take the trouble to see that the date lines of despatches from points in the Territories read correctly, as, for instance, an item from Calgary, Alta., instead of Calgary, N. W. T., it would tend to give the public a grasp of the location of cities and towns in the Territories and would induce them to address their letters to the particular Territory in which their correspondents lived instead of using the vague addition "N. W. T." to every portion of the country west and north of Manitoba and east and north of British Columbia.

Many years ago all the territory owned by the United States west of the Mississippi was called the Northwest Territories, but the authorities at Wash igton were not long in perceiving the mistake and the obnoxious "Northwest" was expunged from the map and has never been heard of since. Canada should have followed the example set long ago, and herein lies a chance for some of our British Columbia members to do

THE PROBABLE EFFECT.

In discussing the vigorous campaign for reciprocity with Canada which is being carried on in the Eastern, Middle and Western States, Industrial Canada says: "It is probable that the reciprocity agitation in the United States would be confined almost entirely to a few cities not far from the Canadian border, such as Boston, Buffalo, Detroit, St. the acts of a government, even if one Paul and Minneapolis, but for the fear should be opposed to it politically. The that Mr. Chamberlain's proposals for the Dominion authorities have decided be adopted. This fear has caused a upon establishing a fisheries research rapid development of reciprocity senti-station on the north end of Vancouver ment in the United States, If the Unit-Island, is gratifying. The Colonist is particularly well pleased at the announcement, because the new departure purpose of killing Imperial reciprocity. Once killed, that great Imperia ject can never be revived, and the United States will then be in a position to with draw any concessions it may have made to Canada for the purpose of defeating Mr. Chamberlain's plans."

> During 1904 the additions to the Imperial Navy consist of two battleships, five armored cruisers, two protected cruisers, six scouts and ten destroyers, a total of 115,000 tons.

It is reported that the Duke of Devonshire has formed a company with a rayltal of \$1,500,000 to publish a morning daily in London, in which he will air his free trade opinions.

It is only twelve days more until the meeting of the Legislature takes place, and that will not be too long 'o wait for information of an official character respecting the steps that have been taken in connection with the settlement of the Songhees Indian reserve

It is reported that the unemployed men of London number 750,000, representing a total of between two and three million men, women and children or in extremely indigent circumstances. The public and private boards of charity and relief are put to their wit's end to cope with this abnormal state of affairs, and pessimists are not wanting who see in it a menace to the peace of the world's metropolis.

We regret that Mr. Lugrin should have felt aggrieved at the editorial reference to the Songhees' reserve yesterday morning with which his name was issociated. The letter dent, which, having consideration for the feelings of the persons mentioned in it, we did not publish, arose out of the communication of Mr. A. J. Morley of the previous day. The correspondent in question was probably not familiar with the active efforts made by Mr. Lugrin, as explained by that gentleman in today's issue, to bring the vexed question to a head, and his communication was evidently in the nature of a protest against so much public discussion with so little in the way of practi-

The joint commission of the United that, for lack of a fast mercantile fleet, the country is losing \$100,000,000 annually, and recommends that Congress shipping companies, whose combined fleets and capital are so large as to discourage private enterprise from attempting to compete with them, the encouragement suggested by the commission

The Nelson Daily News thinks the Colonist will belabor Sir Mackenzie Bowell for his attitude in regard to the readjustment of the financial relations between the Provinces and the Dominion. That gentleman has the same merit, of which some of his political opponents have not, of advocating for

ternational boundary and the North Sas- lumbia in that question come to be dis-

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

AN AP-PEEL

Sir—A silo on the concrete pavement, a thud, and a vision of stars innumerable in broad daylight, are my apology for trespassing on your space (or the purpose of varing a little matter that demands attention, and in doine so I anticipate the ideality! endorsement of every pedestrian who besses up and down Yates street. Apply petch, orange peel, banana peel and every other sort of peel peculiarted for funch were scattered along the site of this thoroughfare, with such avisin prodigabily that straight naviantica is almost impossible if one whits it dodge a "cropper." Especially is risky coming down the bill towards took street, and at night, when the danger is inseen, the chances for a fall are greatly lacreased. With a view to the mitigation of this

inseen, the chances to the indication of this peril, I beg through your columns to ask every mother in this city before she sends her mnocarb but moughtless bairns off to school to cauton then against throwing any peel upon the sidewalk, as being dangerous and likely to cause broken limbs or heads; and this request I would be the unblue school texchers to appear to the unblue school texchers to appear to the cause broken the unblue school texchers to appear to the unblue school texchers to appear to the cause of the unblue school texchers to appear to the total texture the texture to the t

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Sir-1 will be pardoned for not being able to see the necessity of the reference being made to me in your columns this merning in connection with the Songhees riserve. Last year I brought the matter up at the board of Trade, and the result was that I was appointed chairman of a joint committee of the City Council and roard, and proceeded to investigate the whole question. The committee learned that nothing had been done towards solving it during the previous three years. We led, interviews with the government and the president of the Esquimait & Nanaimo raliway. We examined all the documents bearing on the subject, and the result of cur work, which occupied considerable time, was set out in a report to the Board of Trade and City Council, in which we, after setting forth the facts, expressed the opinion that the City Council, in which we, after setting forth the facts, expressed the opinion that the City Council ought to be asked to take the matter in hand, and the pion to make the matter in hand, and the report being laid before the Council, the Mayor asked for an opinion from the city barrister, and having obtained it, took what seemed to be in his judgment the first step towards bringing matters to a head. A public meeting was then called, at which i was present and explained the exact status of the matter. This I conceived to be fund up a resolution was adopted, which bere out the recommendation of the joint committee.

This, sir, is my connection with the Indian reserve question, and I submit it is

ventually a resonance of the point of the po

RIOTS AND RIOTERS.

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Sir—in reference to the very deplorable slaughter in St. Petersburg on Sunday, last, I submit the military have been unjustly condemned. In the first place, a proclamation was issued (a step taken in extreme instances) calling the attention of the ringleaders, etc., to the danger of holding such a meeting.

To enforce this proclamation, the military were requisitioned, in ald of the civil power, if necessary. An organized crowd of many thousands advanced, lead by men who, it is presumed, were well aware of the pains and penalties set forth in the preclamation they so deliberately ignored. The military authorities then called on them to disperse, but they still holdly advanced. Then the merciful, but rather in-

regular, remedy of firing blank ammunition was resorted to.

I have had some experience in somewhat similar instances, and I say without fear of contradiction by the right sort of people, those soldiers acted properly in firing on what was then a riotous mob.

This I say advisedry, as any crowd that disobers a proclamation of the kind and defies the military, at once becomes a dangerous and a riotous mob. Then, again, it must be considered what would be the consequences to the military if they were able, but unwilling, to check the progress of these people, which it was their bounden duty to do at any cost? There would be no lenlency shown them no sentimental excuses would be listened to. Rigid disopatity.

In Ireland, when the country was in the brows of featurism mobs were fired, on

manne punishment for neglect of duty, and disloyalty.

In Ireland, when the country was in the three of fenianism, mobs were fired on when preclamations were posted through the country, but there was no outcry except by the disloyal and disaffected. Out the contrary, all law-abilding people fully approved of the action taken by the R. I. censtabulary in such cases.

Thus, sir, the question arises, Who are the real "murderers." If such an expression is not irregulary in such certainly fix all who were guilty of the awfully criminal folly of leading these defenceless people, and forcing the military to shoot them down like dogs, when they (the military had exhausted every other means of excepting their orders.

FAIR PLAY.

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London Free Press.

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LOCAL NEWS.

"King of Siam"—It is pleasurable to record the advent of the comedy opera. "King of Siam," which is to be presented to a Victoria audience in the near future, and is at present being diligently rehearsed by some talented young amateurs. The music of this opera is very pretty and catchy and the dialogue bright, with and teeming with amusing cituation, and under the present able management is bound to become a great success.

Dramatic Club—The popularity of the Cedar Hill Dramatic Clab as entertainers was evidenced by the large and appreciative audience which witnessed to performance of Mrs. Jarley's Waxworks in Temperance hall, Cedar hill, Friday evening. Mrs. Jarley and her striking figures made a decided hit. A social dance brought an enjoyable evening to a close. It is the intention of the club to present the rustic comody, "Under Rube," in the near future.

For Young Men.-The service in Calvary church tonight will be one of spe-cial interest to young men. Brief ad-dresses will be given by a number of young men on 'My Testimony for Christ.' Appropriate Gospel songs will be rendered, the following contributing sobos: Miss Bucknam, Mrs. Currie and Mr. G. F. Watson. Evangelistic ser-vices will be held each evening during the week, in which the pastor will be as isted by the Mission Band, and Rev. H. W. Piercy, of Chemainus.

At Hardy Bay—It is considered very probable that the fisheries research station which has just been decided upon by the Dominion government to be established at the northern end of Vancouver Island will be located at Hardy bay, where the federal government already has a wharf and where there is excellent harbor accommodation. Hardy bay is considered by experts to be one of the best harbors on the coast, and its utilization in this manner is something that may be taken as a certainty if the project is carried into effect.

Thursday Evening.

Lieut.-Col. Hall, commanding the Fifth Regiment, has issued the following been attended:

The following man, having been attended:

We have the regimental number opnosite his name: No. 154, Gr. Walter H. Keating, Jan. 18.

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Musical Examinations—In the annual report recently published of the Royal Academy of Music, London, England, appears the names of two Victoria girls who successfully passed an exacting musical test in piano classics, under the able tuition of Mr. G. Jennings Burnett, viz., Miss Bernice Scoweroft and Miss Gladys Hewling. Through some error at McGill university Miss Scoweroft's name is recorded in the intermediate division instead of the advanced senior grade, which certificate from the Royal Academy she has received. Both cardidates have the honor of attaining the maximum in the test on the rudiments of music.

Social Dance.-The Companions of Social Dance.—The Companions of the Forest are arranging to hold a so-cial dance after the regular meeting of the circle at Sir William Wallace hall on Thursday evening, February 2. A cordial invitation is extended to all friends of the circle.

Not Him.—The Colonist has been requested to mention that it was not Mr. II. Walther, of Victoria, who was shot in Tueson, Arizona. His wife, who is a resident of this city, received a telegram assuring her of his safety.

Socialist Meeting.—General discussion on the Russian revolt will be the programme at the regular educational meeting of the Socialist party in the Crystal Theatre this evening at Society.

Indian Chief Dead.—The death occurred yesterday at the Sannich Indian reserve of David, the chief of the Sannich tribe. Ho was an old man—upwards of 80 years of age. The funeral arrangements are in the hands of Undertaker Hanna.

Sunday Services—The attention of pastors and church secretaries is again directed to the fact that in order to secure publication in the Sunday Colonist, notices of church arrangements must invariably be in the hands of the city editor by Friday evening.

Fight Against Consumption.—Tomorrow afternoon at the City hall there will be a meeting of the Victoria Anti-Tuberculosis Society. The business will be the receipt of a statement from the concert committee and other important matters. A general invitation is extended to all who are interested in the work. Fight Against Consumption.

Woman's Mission Work.—The first meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada will be held on Wed nesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Christ church schoolroom. All church women interested in mission work are cordially invited to be present and join the auxiliary.

Songhees' Reserve.—Ald. Hanna yesterday posted a notice of motion on the builletin board which engenders another debate on the Songhees' reserve question at tomorrow evening's meeting of the City Council. He will present a resolution urging that the federal and provincial authorities be asked to appoint special representatives to treat with the Indians in a further and final attempt at a settlement.

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steamer goes the 1st and 16th of ever month to Kilimaat. From that pol-one goes by trail to the Skeena river, distance of 56 miles, and from there a the Skeena river 80 miles to Hazelit and 60 miles southeast of Hazelit along the telegraph trail."—Spoker Spokesman-Review.

FIFTH REGIMENT, C. A. Officers Mess To Hold Annual Meeting Thursday Evening.

company.
Thorne; No. 154, Gr. Walter II. Keating.
Paragraph 3, Regimental Order No.
2, promotion in No. 6 company, should read: To be Co. Sergt.-Major—Acting Co. Sergt.-Major R. Lorimer, June 6, 1901; to be acting corporals—Gr. D. Deane, Gr. G.-Ross, Gr. R. Buttler, Jan. 21, 1905; to be hombardiers—Gr. J. J. Wilson, Gr. Rochfort, Jan. 21, 1905.
The annual meeting of the officers' mess will be sheld in the mess room at the drill ball on Thursday evening. Feb. 2, at 8:30. Dress, walking out.

By order.

D. B. M'CONNAN, Capt.,
Adjutant.

GROWING IN POPULARITY.

of music.

A Pioneer's Theory.—W. A. Robertson, one of the pioneers of the province, has a theory respecting the disampentance of the Nanaimo children, which he yesterday explained to a reporter of the Cotonist. Mr. Robertson is of the cythion that panthers have carried off the little ones, conveying the bodies up the hiotuntain tops out of the reach of the search parties. Mr. Robertson considers it highly important that residents of orthying districts should be warned against allowing their children to get beyond bounds, as once the panther less than the cause, a little germ or parasite, prevents the return of dandruff. As a have dressing it is delightful, it ought to be found on every toilet table. It stops falling hair, and prevents baldness. It should be used occasionally, as a preventive to protect the scalp from a new falling hair, and prevents baldness. It should be used occasionally, as a preventive to protect the scalp from a new function of the dandruff microbe. Sold by leading druggists, Send 16 in stames for sample to The Herpicide Co., Dotroit, Mich.

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Jui Chong is a Chinese, an epicurabut not a warrior. He went to the Nippon restaurant and ordered all that was coming for fifteen cents. When the steak arrived, the surgery was difficult, and the Chinese complained of the dullness of the knife.

"Kroy-wa ichi-ban," said Kaji

Mr. Seward, w-5se interesting memoirs are to be published in the Colonist; a pioneer of pioneers, having come to British Columbia in the great rush of 1858, when the miaers of California in their thousands flocked to Victoria—at that time only a rude outpost of the Company of Adventurers Trading into Hudson's Bay—on their way to the Fraser river. It is a far cry from 1858 to 1965, and during that period of close upon half a century numerous and momentous changes have taken place. Mr. Seward has seen them all, and watched the growth of the country with an observant eye. The rule of the Hudson's Bay Company gave way to the red tape of Crown Colony days, and after many vicissitudes the united colonies of Vanicaver Island and British Columbia bade farewell to Downing street and joined the newly formed Dominion of Canada as a province in 1871. These early years were full of incident and Mr. Seward, ever keenly interested in



THOMAS SEWARD

the welfare of his country, played an active part in those discussions which disturbed the equanimity of the men who laid the foundation of the fortunes of British Columbia. Gifted with a maryclous memory, he has stored away a vast amount of information concerning our early history. In the hurly burly and stress of life one so easily overlooks things connected with our political and commercial growth—things historical, biographical, anegotal, all most truly interesting. We should therefore be thankful that Mr. Seward and others, from their stores of knowledge, have enlightened us as to events fast passing from our ken. The author of these reminiscences was among the first discoverers of the famous Cariboo placers. He reached the mouth of the Quesnel river in August, 1859, after a perilous journey through the canyons of the Fraser, and in the following summer crossed into the country which yielded fortunes to many lucky miners. The famous Grouse creek was so christened by Mr. Seward. Later, in 1801, he gave up mining and retired to Lytton, where he acquired a valuable farm, which was a purchased about three years ago by the New England Society to be used as an industrial school for the Indian's of the district. Mr. Seward, who has lived in Victoria the last few years, is well known to old timers throughout the province. Although over seventy years of age, he is still hale and hearty and often visits the senes of his early exploits in the interior.

Overcoat bargains. B. Williams

CONTRACT FOR THE HOTEL.

Marpole, and Haste Not Demanded.

The contract for the C. P. R. hotel on James Bay has not yet been awarded. So stated Mr. k. Marpole, saperincedent of the company, last evening. "All the papers in the matter, together with my recommendations," said Mr. Marpole, "have been sent to Montreal to be dealt with, as is usual in such transactions. It is not likely that any decision will be reached for some time, yet, particularly as the foundations will not be finished for some weeks yet, and there is consequently no particular hurry."

Mr. Marpole, in company with Messes, Cambie, Greer, Coyle and Armistead, arrived in the city yesterday by the way of Nanaino and the E. & N. railway. The general superintendent said that he and Mr. Cambie had come over to consult with the architect respecting some slight modifications in the hotel plans, and that Messes, Coyle and Greer were looking after freight matters.

matters.

Last evening there was a meeting between the visiting railway men and members of the local government, when various matters connected with the railway question were discussed.

Mr. Marpole returned to Vancouver last night.

What Some People Say

That once a year is none too often to give the people a chance to defeat some of the men who get elected to nunicipal office.

That grafters work their skin game on the luckless Mr. Pinlayson, who has just left the Port Simpson hospital.

That the Russian oligarchy has now a Walking Delegate.

That when the delephone user looks for a subscriber's name in the prehistoric directory he is apt to murmur—

"!!" ** " ?? shdrlu

That the question "Where is the Czar" has replaced the time-honored query, "How old is Ann?"

That constitutional government seem about as popular in Russia just at present as new health food in America. That it was raining. William Wilson had met his old friend "D. W. H.' Said William unto David: "You've turned on the MYSTIC SPRING." "Well." quoth the author, "it's not dry is i:?"

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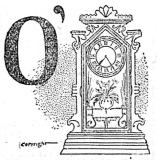
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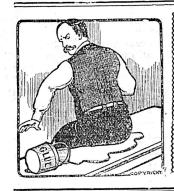


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set stick handler on the visiting team
the first goal, and at half thme the
was 1-0 in favor of Nanaimo. In the
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rards combined well, and they exce,
were hard hitters. Allss Priestly and
Teague were the most prominent Nano players, and Miss Atkinson. Miss
an and Miss Jay played very well for
orla. Mr. Daiby. Victoria; and the
referees. The visitors were entertained
a visit to the Redmond theatre and
luncheon at Mrs. Clay's in the even-Nanaimo Ladies Won.

the luncheon at Mrs. Clay's in the even-ies.

Victoria defeated the R. E. by 5 goals to 2 at Oak Bay yesterday afternoon. At half time the score was 2-1 in favor of Victoria, and in the second half the civil-ians secured three more goals. The scor-ncy was done by Gibson (3) and Schwen-gers (2): Prown made both goals for the R. E. Carne played a splendid game in goal for Victoria. The all round play of both teams was rather wild. The R. E. neen hit recklessly, and the Victoria play-ers never seemed to be in their positions. Corp. Warden, R. G. A., acted as referee to the satisfaction of both teams. Vic-toria will play the R. G. A. next Saturday.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

was not converted. For the winners, D. Thompson (full back), Heyland (half back), Bendrodt and Macfarlane (three quarters) were perhaps the most prominent, and for the Centrals, Brujdleson (full back), Sargisca and Suider (three quarters) and Know (half back) displayed good form. The forward work of South Park was good in the open, the dribbiling being excellent. There are a number of good players on the Central team, and when they get down to hard work the rival teams will have to look to their laurels. The linesmen were Mr. Barnache and Mr. McConnell. H. F. Benson was an efficient referee.

The game arranged between the Victoria seniors and intermediates to take place at Leacon Hill yesterday afternoon was not played, as the men did not appear.

THE RING.

Attraction at Savoy.

One big feature of the coming week is he special engagement of Kid O'Balen of 'allfornia and Kid O'Connor of Chicago, tho will appear nightly at the Savoy in a our round scientific boxing contest for edits. The promises to be a fine exhibition

rs of the manly art.
Clark vs. O'Brien.
Bert Clark stated yesterday that he will
eet Kld O'Brien in a 20-round boxing
entest at the Victoria theatre on February
0. There will be two preliminaries.

HANDBALL.

Jost and Smith Won.

S. Jost and S. McB. Smith defeated R. Woods and D. Mowat with a score of 21-11, 21-16 in the J. B. A. A. championsinp tournment yesterday afternoon. A. Belyea acted as refere and J. Simpson scored. Appended is the standing of the teams to date:

J. B. A. A. hold the Armstrong cup, and before any games are played to decide which club shall retain it this year, exhibition games will be arranged between Vancuver and the J. B. A. A.

Game Postponed.

The basketball watch which was scheduled to take place in the annex hall last right between the J. B. A. A. and the Fernwoods has been indefinitely postponed.

N. 5 Victorious.

The intermediate and junior basketball

The intermediate and junior basketball cams from No. 5 Co. defeated the Fern-coots at the drill hall last night; the incremediate score was 16-6 and the junior 3. Although handleapped by a bad hand, saunders played a fine game for the solicirs. F. Jones was a satisfactory referee.

Ex-Victorian's Fine Record.

incinhers who attend the several classes indicates:

Business men's class—II. J. Knott, John Neven, J. B. McCallum, W. S. Terry, Robert Dann, Beaumont Boggs, J. E. Church, J. C. McNeill, P. Shakespeare, John Brown, C. Holden, H. W. Northcott, Rev. J. F. Vichert, Rev. H. A. Carson, E. Ashton, A. Crosier, A. Bablington, O. E. Flinch, C. II. Mason, E. B. Jones, L. E. Fisher and Norton Printz.

Tumbling and pyramid class—T. Gawley, H. Roskamp, O. Margeson, E. Wattins, J. S. Watters and W. T. Storr, Physical culture—C. H. Willis, G. S. Watters, Chas. Phipps, R. A. Ritchle, Edgar Ashton and G. H. McLeod.

Cloverdale Will Build Hall.

Athletics are very popular in Cloverdale

The Island league match with Work out resulted in a win for the Garrison, f. M. S. Bonaventure being defeated Capitals Successful.

The Capital intermediates defeated Victoria Wests at Macaulay Point erday afternoon by I goal to nil. Celties Won.

the Celtic Association football team to the Mainland championship from Shanrocks yesterday by a score of the The result occasioned considerable surprise, as the Shamrocks were strong favorites, and had the long end of the betting.

In consequence of this victory the lat of competing with Victoria for the pro-vincial championship falls to the Celtic team.

THE HUNT.

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We to complete the com

Who Will Catch Places for

the Tour.

It is understood that the Rugby team which goes to Anstralia from Canada about the end of April will be a representative Canadian team, and not as first suggested, a purely British Columbia aggregation. R. C. Woodward of Vancouver will manage the trip, and five players will be taken from this city, five from the East and the others repared from Vancouver and scattered British Columbia points in which the Rugby game is known and played with skill. The Victoria representatives will be Messrs. K. A. S. Scholefield, H. and K. Gillespie, J. Cornwall and J. C. Barnacle. Randall of Nanaimo, who was on the Ali-Canada team which visited England two sensons ago, has been asked to go; and most probably Snowden, the brilliant Nanaimo halfbæck, will also be given opportunity of being a member of the terms recovery.

the best form and quable them to make a creditable showing against the pick of the Australians.

The crack English team which won

All-Canada Team
For Australia
British Columbia Will Predominate But Each Will Be Represented.

Something of Provincial Players
Who Will Catch Places for

Local News.

Lost a Finger—News comes from Shawnigan lake of a minor accident in the mill there yesterday, an employed losing a finger to the voracious cog-wheel.

Tourist Association—The adjourned annual meeting of the Tourist Association will be held at the city half on Thursday evening next, Feb. 2, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

Marketing Lettuce—Messrs, A. J. Woodward, V. H. Schwab and H. J. Dunn are marketing through Messrs, F. R. Stewart & Co. some very fine hothouse lettuce. The quality is much superior to that which formerly was im-

Sergeant-At-Arms—W. J. Sanders, who last session officiated in the capacity of deputy sergeant-at-arms of the local legislature, has been appointed sergeant-at-arms for the session now at hand, succeeding Mr. Harry Mason, since appointed to a permanent post in the Lands and Works office.

VICTORIA JUNIOR RUGBY TEAM, CHAMPIONS OF S.C., 1904-05.

Publisher's Notice—With a view primarily to attracting the attention of the many thousands of sight-seers, tourists, investors and homeseckers who will journey westward this coming summer to visit the Lewis and Clark exposition at Portland, Ore., to the varied resources and potentialities of British Columbia in general and Victoria in particular the Colonist is arranging to issue a handsomely illustrated publication. It will include articles dealing with the cities, towns, camps and districts of the entire province. The edition will be bound in a handsome cover. No expense will be spared to produce a veritable edition du luxe which will be a credit to this city and will place British Columbia's resources in a pleasing and attractive manner before the exposition visitors.

STOP THAT COUGH.

Griffiths' Menthol Liniment

is just as effective in curing coughs, colds, sore throat and croup as in rheumatism, sprains and bruises. Used internally and externally. Takes away all pain. Reduces all swellings. At druggists. 75°, a bottle. The Griffiths & Maspherson Co., Ltd., Toronto, Can.

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Airdriconians have done well of late, drawing (2-2) against Glasgow Rangers on Saturday and beating Celtic (3-2) on Tuesday. The Celtic vs. Rangers match at Ibrox Park on Monday had to be abandoned, no score, through the crowd (60,000) encroaching on the field of play. Though the Corinthians lost to Queen's Park (1-3) at Glasgow they finished up their tour in capital form by defeating Newcastle United 2 goals to 1.

There is a hull in the Rugby world

British Sporting News

Trom Our Own Correspondent.

London, Jan. 14, 1905.

THE TURF.

One has only to consider how fluky a uniness is steeplechase and hurdle raping, to realize the smartness of the performance credited to Mr. 92. Martin's aged gelding Lawrence, who up to last Friday had gained thirteen successive victories. The last, perhaps, was the most meritorious, for in the Christmas hurdle handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting strong opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting the oppoular choice. The last, perhaps, was the most meritance and opposition in Cosack Post, Inishfred handleap, he was meeting and true to do some hand like the same decomplished. The man handleap handleap has been been handleap h

INTERNATIONAL RACING.

the initiative in organizing what is hoped will be an annual event. The Society Athletique de Montrouge, holders of the Prench championship, have offered 1,000 francs (about 150) for a perpetual trophy and prizes, value another \$1,000 francs, holders of the English National championship. The French authorities well know that their representatives can have no chance, which makes their enterprise all the more praiseworthy. It is on a par with an English organization putting up 1100 in prizes for a baseball match between the champions of America and an English club. The action shows our near neighbors mean business and if they improve as rapidly at crosscountry running as they did after taking up cycle racing, we shall not be the teachers for long.

onds at Newcastle many followers of pedestrianism fancied he might equal H. Hutcher's record of 214-5 seconds at Edinburgh. The Putney "fiyer" made his record at Lillie Bridge in 1885, but it is not equal in merit to-his 360 yards in 30 seconds at Powderhall ground, Edunburgh, in January of 1884. Keame figured at scratch in the 220 yards New Year handicap at Powderhall, and after easily qualifying for the final, he was expected to do something big. He hardly commenced with his usual dash and although he came with a "rattle" at the thish he just failed to win, while his time was two-fitths of a second slower than he showed at Newcastle.

IN GENERAL.

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Birmingham athletes were pleased to note that Tom Widdowson, who halls from that city, made a good showing in the last Western Province athletic championship at Cape Town, finishing second in the one and four niles.

H. W. Stevenson again showed consistent form during the course of his match with F. Bateman. The scratch man easily conceded the Birmingham erack 2,250 in 9,000 and gave an exhibition that points to him doing well against C. Dawson. The last named appears right "off color" just now, but it is to be hoped he will find his touch by the time he joins issue with his great rival.

Paardeberg Day—No. 5 company, do better after a couple of months' hard Fifth Regiment, is well ahead with prepartions for Paardeberg Day. No. 5 is entered for the 13-pounder drill and the team should turn out for drill tomorrow night. Three companies will enter the contest, Nos. 1, 2 and 5, and this is the first time an artillery company has challenged 1 and 2.

Says 'Tis Not So—Apropos of the announcement from San Francisco of the engagement of Miss Blanche Bates and Jack London, the author, the former's advance manager, now in Seattle, enters a denial, saying that he doubts if Miss Blates is so much as personally acquainted with London. She has got the advertising out of the story nevertheless, the contest of the Lincoln. The last named lorse will be recognized as a past win-

The terms under which "Major" Taylor and F. Kramer will meet next June are unpaced races at two kilometres and one mile and a further race at 1,500 yards, should a third be necessary.

The decision of the Automator.

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Manchester United is a team that looks to have a splendid chance for Second League honors. Lee visit to Bolton Wanderers resulted in the capture of a brace of points, the victory being by 4 goals to 2; so that their only defeat of the season, on their own ground by Bolton, was thus atoned for. Bolton still heads the table, with 36 points, but Manchester are only two points behind with two games in hand, while Liverpool have earned 30 points in eighteen matches.

THE WWATHER

Meteorological Office,
Victoria, Jan. 28-8 p. m.
SYNOPSIS.

The barometer has risen considerably over northern British Columbia, and more settled weather accompanied by light to moderate winds are setting in throughout the North Pacific slope. An average cold wave cover.

safeguard against intectious diseases.

MATTOR KICHAED NOBBS,
and Petitioners,
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and Petitioners Intended to make application to this Honourable Court or Judge thereof on Tuesday, the 7th day of February, 1905, at 1030 o'clock in the forenoon, for leave to withdraw their petition.
Dated this 9th day of January, A. D. 1905.

D. M. ROGERS,
Of the firm of Barnard & Rogers,
Chambers, Bastlon Street, Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitors for the Petitioners.

The Tourist Association of Victoria, B. C.

The adjourned annual meeting of the Courist Association of Victoria, B. C., vill be held at the City Hall on Thursday vening next, February 2, at 8 o'clock, for he purpose of electing officers for the en-

in the Famous English Military Comedy-Drama, "THE SECOND IN COMMAND." Direction of Belasco, Mayer & Price, Prices—\$1.50, \$1.00, 75c., 50c., 25c. Ad-vance sale of seats at Walt's Music Store, opens Friday morning, January 27.

Commencing

Monday, Jan. 23rd

DANGING ACADEMY

A. O. U. W. Hall, M. LESTER,

2.30 to GRAND 7.30 to 10.30 Gen. Admission, 10c Res. Seats, 20

50 JOHNSON STREET. Go where the crowds go.

W. G. Stevenson, Mgr.

Week of January 30th, 1905

A Host of Novelties.
The sparkling one-act comedy by P. H. Smith, entitled
"CHAMPAGNE AND OYSTERS,"
The Operatic Buo-Carbonette and Paloma.
SMITH & ELLIS—Yersatle Sketch Team.
JIM ROWE—Comedien.
MILLE. LAURENDEAU—Balladist.
MAE MULQUEEN.—Comedienne.
BOB 11EWLETTE—Author, Actor, and Comedien.

Theatre Redmond

The Man From Mexico Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Saturday Matinee, the great Russian Drama

VICTORIA'S NEW FAMILY PLAY HOUSE.
THE PLATT-FANNING CO. WILL PRESENT
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Wednesday Mathice

There is a full in the Rugby world just at the moment, but important fixtures will claim attention in a few days.

A. A. Shrubb, England's premier distance ruhner, was in the best of spirits when starting on his journey to Australia and New Zealand last Saturday. The Ortona, on which he is a passenger, is a fine boat and he will be able to

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ward to Manitoba,
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NOTICE.

VICTORIA THEATRE ONE NIGHT ONLY.

White Whittlesey

CRYSTAL THEATRE

Doors open at 7, Curtain rises 8:15.

ROBT JAMIESON Manager

CONSER'S DOG CIRCUS MISS JEANIE FLETCHER THE KRONAS KENTON & LURRAINE SINCLAIR & CARLISLE FREDERIC ROBERTS NEW MOVING PICTURES.

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| SATURDAY, JANUARY 28. | Deg. | Deg.

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President.
HERBERT CUTHBERT,
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Monday, January 30.
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Matinee Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday

Member National Association Masters of Dancing. Adult Beginners' Class Now Forming

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Wireless System To Be Installed

Stations Will Be Erected at Cape Beale on the West Coast.

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Free from Bug Pests,

Mr. Thomas Ct nligham, of this city, inspector for the provincial government, and Mr. Thomas Earl, of Lytton, spent several days in the neighborhood of Kamboops investigation the alleged invasion of local orchards with San Jose scale and weedly aphis. After a careful and thorough examination, they have failed to find the sightest trace of either of these parasites, and report that the fruit trees in this yielmity are remarkably healthy and free from posts. This visit was due to the statement made in the Coast press and organishing in the Vernon News, that the Kamloops orchards were infected with the two parasites manuel, the canard heing, apparently, founded solely upon the upsupparently, founded solely upon the upsupparent with the coast press and organishes. The form of the parameter of the provided by Mr. Fortune, of Tranquille, for finomperiod evidence of a man discharged by Mr. Fortune and who took this way of getting even.—Kamloops Inland Scuthel.

A THEORY PROVED

A New Idea Which Means a Great Deal in the Trentment and Cure of Disease.

Dr. Leonhardt of Lincoln, Neb., the carenos physician of the Western States, has put forward a new theory as to the cause of disease. He says:

"There can be no doubt, from The evidence at hand, that, the Stornach is and

There can be no doubt, from the evidence at hand, that the Stomach is and has always been the first cause of 90 per cent of all the illness of mankind. The failure of the Stomach to digest the food properly results in fermentation and decomnosition, and the poisons arising from the foul and rotting mass pet into the blood and tissue and nerves and breed diseases of every kind.

Dr. Leonhardt has found a remedy for Indigestion, Dyspensia, Billiousness and Constipation. He has tried it in thousands of cases without a single failure.

The funeral of the infant son of Mr. Smith, of Boleskin road, took place yes-terday afternoon from St. Mark's church. Rev. E. G. Miller conducted the services.

STOLE DIAMOND RING.

Chinese Arrested For Theft From Residence of the Premier.

FISH STORY TICKED

How a Whale Tried to Swallow terian the Unble End and Lost

All this goes to show that when the naval officers go to sea and still keep on triking to their folks at home they will have to converse in cipher, unless they want the newspapers to print what they want the newspapers to print what they say.

GRIP COLDS

Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world-wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes the cause. Call for the full name and look for signature of E. W. Grove. 25c.

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Kamioops Orchards Found to Be Entirely Free from Bug Pests.

Presentation—Mr. P. Oakés, who has been engineer for M. R. Smith & Co. for the past sixteen years, was presented with a gold-headed enne by his fellow employees at the factory vesterday, upon his retirement. An address accompanied the souvenir of good will, to which the recipient made a neat reply.

THE MAN FROM THE WEST.

He stands six feet in his cotton socks. You can hear his untained voice for blocks, and he gives and he takes some good hard knocks.

The man from the West.

hen he grins his mouth is from ear When he grins his mouth is from ear to ear.

And, he's weathered blizzards from year to year.
But never has known what it is to fear—
The man from the West.

He is tall and lithe and is hard and lean. And his hands are large and his eyes are And his sames are may be keen,
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And his scorn is great for all that is mean,
For the winds have washed his soul qui'e
clean—
The man from the West.

thousands of cases without a single failure.

He calls it Anti-Pill. It is sold at 50- at 100 at 100

SUCIAL AND

Uneventful Week in Victoria The Shadow of Lent Is Here.

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J. G. BROWN,
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t rallied sufficiently to e

mit will. Annual a minute of the clamor have a single-stell serious trouble, and quiet, was soon restored. No arrests were made. It seems that

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smatched back the money he had waged when the banker won. The game was fan-tan, played with a number of Chinese cash, which are caught in a lowly and counted out in fours, the player betting on the number that will be left when the last four has been counted. There was no money in sight when the police arrived, and had any arrests been made it would have been difficult to prove grandbling. Often the orficers are positive in their own minds of gambling going on, but to prove it to the satisfaction of a magistrate is difficult.

PASSENGERS.

Passengers per steamer Princess Beatrice from Scattle: A. J. Dick, I. flarris, Wm. M. Bremer, F. Gale, John McLellan, G. Cawthorne, F. Dykes, G. J. Wolf, W. B. Moore, Mrs. Humber, A. D. Chevland, E. Randall, A. Ramus, R. H. Jameson, D. A. Kelly, Mrs. Kelly, John Davis, Mrs. Davis, J. L. Beckwith, E. Leet, Mrs. A. M. Duffeld.

Also for sale by flull & Co., cor Yates and Douglas Streets.

Presentation—Mr. P. Oakes, who has been engineer for M. R. Smith & Co. for the past sixteen years, was present ed with a goldbedged group by his fell.

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writes; "About a year ago I was greatly
run down. I suffered from severe headaches, and felt so completely worn out
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my sappoite, and made me stronger. All
aervousness, dread and languor disappeared. After using Ferrozone a feyvecks I felt like a new woman, It made
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Far better to take Ferrozone than to
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Beware of substitutes, and insist on
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per box, or six boxes for \$2.50, at all
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S. Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S. A., and

Mr. J. L. Beckwith and Mr. R. H. Jameson were among the Victorians returning from the Sound by the Princess Beatrice yesterday.

Mr. H. L. Salmon left for San rancisco by the direct steamer Senator

last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nixon, of Thetis Island, are the guests of Mrs. Rochus-sen, Beacon Hill. Mr. Pitcairn, of Kelowna, is the guest f Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Stirling, Belcher

Mrs. L. Humber arrived bome yester-day from a visit with Puget Sound friends.

Mrs. J. H. Tadd was at home to a large company of friends on Tuesday of the past week. Miss Gladys Perry is making rapid progress toward convalescence at the Jubilee.

Quite a number of Victor'ans will go over to Vancouver to hear Mme, Melba Wednesday.

Mrs. Brady has returned to Victoria after a year's residence in Golden. Mr. Wm. M. Brewer returned from visit to the Sound yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Leigh came over from the Mainland last evening. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Macuaughton are spending Sunday in the city.

Mr. C. Spencer returned from Van-ouver yesterday evening. Miss McEmmery is visiting friends in

Miss Marie Gaudin left last evening for Los Angeles.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Jan. 28.—The sudden out-break of pyrotechnics in a group of stocks which is sensitive to development in the Western Securities case, was the Jeature of the stock market today, and this oc-curred late in the last hour of the market.

PILLORING A WITNESS.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

PHILLIPS—At Glen Cottage, Esquimalt, B. C., January 28, 1905, the wife of Mr. George Phillips, of a daughter.

DIED.

The funeral will take place from Hay ward's undertaking parlors on Monday at 2:15 p. m., and at the Roman Catholic Cathedral at 2:30 p. m.

New Advertisements

Too Late for Classification

WANTED—A young man to take charge of horse, cow and poultry, also to under-stand gardening. Apply Box 154 this office, inclosing testimanials.

WANTED—Party with \$1,500 to invest in paying business, chance for home em-ployment, by which may make \$150 monthly. Lock Drawer 654, Lima, Ohio. ja29

FOR SALE—Bone-cutter. Apply Hal'am Wyndham, opposite post office. ja20 LADY OF CULTURE desires position as housekeeper for refined gentleman. Box 159 Colonist office. ja29

in half minute's walk of Outer Wharf car. Apply 175 Superior street. ja20

FOR SALE—A 6 horse power locomobile motor car. Apply for particulars to Mrs. le Poer Trench, Sidney. ja20 FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE for heavy horse, a strong drlying horse, Apply Mrs. le Poer Trench, Sidney. ja29

TO RENT—One furnished suite of rooms with kitchen. 120 Vancouver street, ja29

OR SALE—1 6-10 acres adjoining Vic-toria creamery; cleared, fenced and sown down in clover; well situated for any purrose. Apply Ben. Axhorn, Boleskine road. ja29

FOR SALE—Pen of silver grey Dorkings, 1 cockerel, 3 pullets, from good stock, Apply Ben, Axhorn, Boleskine road, ja29 TO LET-Furnished housekeeping rooms, with bath, 118 Fort street, ja29 WANTED—Girl for light housework; two children. 216 Pandora avenue. ja29

WANTED—House and lot, or would take over mortgage, not to exceed \$800; no deposit; could pay \$10 per month; Esqui-malt or Victoria West preferred. Apply Box 158 this office. ja29

WANTED-A bright, intelligent boy, age 16. would like employment in office or store, etc. Address Box 101 Colonist, ja29 LOST—Lady's handbag, containing purse with sum of money, on Pandora street, Return to 230 Yates street and receive reward.

SIX ACRES—Fairfield road; cultivated, drained, fenced, and faces three roads. \$6,000. Apply E, A. Harris & Co. ja12 FOR SALE—High class 3½-luch and 9-luch by 6-luch stroke compound marine engine, with brass air and feed numps worked off crossheads. Apply "Engine," P. O. Box 601, Victoria, B. C. ja29

FOR SALE—Two lots facing harbor, \$1,500 each; Henry, Victoria West, 60x120, \$425; acre property for sale in all parts of city. Apply E. A. Harris & Co. ja29 FOR RENT—Six-roomed house, two doors from Cook street, on Frederick; good con-dition. Apply next door. ja29

FOR SALE—Incubator and brooder, nearly new; also pen of Pekin ducks, from prize winning stock. Mrs. E. J. Hunt, Rockland avenue. WANTED—Respectable young man to solicit orders. Apply 120 Fort street, ja20

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All raincoats, overcoats, covert coats; pull-overs and mackintoshes are being sold at half price for eash, as the firm is affixious to make a clearance of these lines before the season is too far advanced.

Boys' reefers, overcoats, raincoats and

Three Hundred of Imperial For-

ces Were Left on Field After

of 4,000 rebels on the border between

province, and the government forces

were defeated. At the time of the departure of the Manchuria, an additiona

ton said:

"The Imperial troops and bodies of rebels classed frequently along the line of the Tallroad, and our men were compelled many times to seek shelter from the flying bullets. We got only newspaper accounts of the fighting near the town of Sap Ta Tao. The second expedition was just leaving Canton as we were departing."

MISSING LIGHTER FOUND.

New York, Jan. 28.—The wreck of the steam lighter Clarence, which disappeared during the storm of Wednesday, and is believed to have foundered with all her crew while crossing the harbor, was found today by Captaly Brandley of the revenue cutter Hudson lying sunk in the ship channel off the Brooklyn shore, with part of a mast showing above water. Nothing has been heard of the lighter's crew of seven men and their bodies are believed to be in the wreck.

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Nucleus Of Canada's Navy

Something About the Various Craft Flying the Flag of Dominion.

Ice Breaking an the Mighty St. Lawrence — Training Ship Canada.

Something has been said even on as high an authority as Sir Wilfrid Laurier himself, about the possibility of Canadian navy. Some people may not know that the number of vessels now in the government service constitutes

Canadian navy. Some people may not know that the number of vessels now in the government service constitutes quite a respectable fleet in itself.

Canada, at present, employs about 30 steamers in the protection of her fisheries, the maintenance of communication, and in the lighthouse and buoy service. In the list of government vessels those engaged in ice breaking in the Atlantic zone form an interesting class. These are powerful steamers, built to encounter and overcome the tremendous resistance of the ice packs in the river St. Lawrence and Nonthumberland straits. On the St. Lawrence the use of the ice breaker is of recent inauguration. In fact it was only commenced this winter too late to be of material benefit to shipping, but soon enough to demonstrate the prospective utility of the service. Two steamers, the Champlain and Montealm, are doing this work, and it is estimated that as a result of their labors navigation will be made possible two or three weeks earlier than usual in the springs. About the middle of April is the average date for the first clear passage up the St. Lawrence. When the ice breakers get in their work navigation will open about the first of that month.

The other steamers of this class, the Stanley, and the Minto, are engaged

that month.

The other steamers of this class, the Stanley, and the Minto, are engaged in ice breaking and maintaining winter communication between Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. These vessels carry passengers and freight, and despite the tremendous obstacles they have to encounter succeed in keeping up a fairly regular service.

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Men there are the ships of the mardepartment, occupied in looking afthe lighthouse and buoy service,
ny fine vessels are included in this
t, their names and stations being as
ows: Brant, Charlottetown, P. E.
Druid, Quebee; Lady Laurier, Hali; Shamrock, Sorel, St. Lawrence riverScout, Prescott, St. Lawrence river;
tor, St. Lawrence river; Lansdowne,
John, N. B.; Aberdeen, Quebec;
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gia, Steveston, B. C.; La Canae, Quebec, St. Lawrence river; CurCanada, Kingfisher, Petrel, dividettic coast. In addition to these are the Falcon and the Swan.
e Constance, another steamer, is oped in the customs and fishery proservice. The Maisonneuve is

tershnoys in the river. There are also other vessels, steamer launches, etc., not caumerated.

The Canada belonging to the Atlantic fisheries patrol service, is now in commission as a training ship. She is at present cruising in West Indian waters. This vessel was manned largely by Nova Scotia youngsters, who take to the sea like the proverbial duck, and of whom there are enough to form a good nucleus for a Canadian navy. The Canada sailed from Halifax a few weeks ago. Herstudent crew numbers 55. \(\frac{1}{1}\) \text{The commissioning of this steamer may be looked upon as the dawn of Canadian naval history. It signifies the inauguration of a system of navigation schools, where the vouffi of Canada nay and only learn the science of navigation, but secure a thorough training in practical seamanship.

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general purchasing agent for the Canton & Hankow railroad.

It was along the line of the Canton & Hankow railroad that the uprising & Hankow railroad that the uprising & Hankow railroad that the uprising & Hankow railroad that the working of the silver mines and the arbitrary rulings of the viceroy contributed to the dissatisfaction of the people, and they finally rose in rebellion. There was a guerila warfare along the line of the railroad, but the first real battle took piace near the town of Sap Ta Tao, near the North river. There, in figst which listed all day, the forces sent by Viceroy Kwong Dook were worsted. The rebels retreated into the province of Kwan Si, where the Imperial forces were sent with reinforcements in pursuit, in telling of the fighting that way going on at the time of his departure, Pinkerton said:

gation, but secure a through training in practical segmanship.

It is probable that a vessel will be added to the government fleet on this coast for similar uses in the not distant future.

AS TO COLDS

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SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto, Out. S. Dollard Has Been Seized

Steamer Registered in Victoria Captured by Japanese on Way to Vladivostock.

Cement Ship Arrives From Lon don-Moran's Effort to Secure Shawmut Work.

The British steamer M. S. Dollar, formerly the steamer Arab, which is owned by a company registered in Victoria, was seized on Friday off the island of Hokkaido while endeavoring to make her way through the La Perouse straits to Viadivostock with a contraband cargo of hay, oats, etc. The Japanese are planning to besiege Vladivostock before long and they have a strong patrolling fleet, composed of small cruisers and armed merchant steamers, watching the waterways through which a steamer must pass to make her way to the Russian fortress on Ussuri bay.

With the news of the seizure of the M. S. Dollar, the question naturally arises: What steamer is, it that is alsore at Vladivostock. A few days ago, as reported in these columns, M. A. Newell of San Francisco received a cable from London quoting a rate of 30 per ceut. for reinsurance on the M. S. Dollar and stating as the reason for the underwriters' desire to protect themselves that a vessel corresponding in description to the Dollar was ashore at Vladivostock. The cablegram furnished no details as to the seriousness of the vessel's predicament.

The M. S. Dollar, though registered in Victoria, and having the head office

vessel's predicament.

The M. S. Dollar, though registered in Victoria, and having the head offlee of the owning company here, is managed from the office of the Dollar S. S. Co. at San Francisco. The description given of the steamer ashore at Vladivostock was said at the San Francisco office to be sufficient to identify the vessel in trouble with the M. S. Dollar, but as no lives appear to have been lost the incident is not causing any special worry, as the steamship was fully insured. The amount of insurance was not given out for publication.

Boys' reefers, overcoats, raincoats and pea jackets are also all reduced to half price as none of these lines are to be entered up in the "stock sheets." Some of the other barrains for this week are as follows: 100 boys' suits, sizes from 22 to 25, at \$1 per suit, former prices being from \$2.50 to \$5.00 per suit.

50 boys' reefers at \$1.00 each, former price \$2.50 to \$3.50 each.

75 boys' cape overcoats \$1.00 each (very suitable for wet weather), former price \$2.50 to \$4.75.

All "job" odd lines of winter underwear will be sold at half price and bargain hunters in this line should have no difficulty in selecting as some hundred different lines have been put on the "bargain counters." dred different lines have been put on the "bargain counters."

Bargain hunters in the hat line should see the assortment that B. Williams & Co. are offering at \$1.00 each. In this lot there are some 500 hats and the ori-ginal price of the cheapest was \$2.50 each and some of them were formerly sold as high as \$5.00 each. to secure genuine bargains,
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Imperlal Army Was Defeated Pitched Battle—Uprising Spreading.

Pitched Battle—Uprising Spreading.

Her Master Gets Present From Grate ful Mariners of Lightship.

mer Senator will sail tonight for Francisco. She takes the place steamship Queen, which has been on the run between San Francis-1 San Diego. It was the with-lof the steamship Santa Rosa the San Francisco-San Diego run

men.
Capt. Cousins, master of the Senator, who commands the Queen when she is in this service, was two days ago presented with a beautiful meerschaum cigar-holder by the captain, officers and crew of the United States governmen lightship Umatilla, anchored off Umatilareef, about fifteen miles from Cape Flattery.

A letter accompanying the gift informed Capt. Consins that the men, some fourteen in number, desired to show their appreciation of the manner in which he had remembered them in the past few years. Capt. Consins waster of the computer secure in the past few years. Capt. Consins waster of the computer secure for Queen, and on the voyages from San Francisco to Victoria be puts in close to the different conficers.

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While the Queen is delayed but a very few minutes on the voyage, the men aboard the lightship are always anxious for late news and mail from friends and relatives. The government tender calls at the ship but once in three months, and if it were not for the fact that merchant vessels remember the men aboard the Umerilla their vigil would be far more lonesome.

aboard the Umatilla their vigil would be far more lonesome.

Capt. Cousins said this morning that he was only too glad to carry the mail to the Umatilla's officers and always make an effort to lower papers or parcels of any kind to their boat when weather permits. On approaching the ship the Queen slows down and the officers meet ker in a small craft. They also gave Capt. Cousins a box of cigars.

HAVE NEW STEAMER.

Hazel Dollar Built Replaces the M. S Dollar Just Seized.

Dollar Just Seized.

The new steamship Hazel Dollar was launched Wednesday from the builders' yard at Glasgow, according to a telegram received by the Robert Dollar Steamship Co. The new vessel is the largest of the numerous fleet of the Dollar line, and has features that will make it notable among the freight carriers of this occan. Having a length of 370 feet, beam of 50 feet and depth of 29.3, with a dead weight carrying capacity of 7.000 tons, the Hazel Dollar has no stanchions or supports in all her hold, and is therefore exception in her ability to carry large timbers or luge plece of freight, for which she was specially built. She is constructed of steel and has four big hatches, and a nominal borse-nower of 593. The steamer was named after the wife of Stanley Dollar,

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a member of the Dollar Steamship Co.
The commander will be Capt, Alexander
Gow, lately in command of the steamer
M. S. Dollar, The new vessel will arrive on this coast early in the spring. strictions on the river against foreign ve-sels will not be withdrawn, the fight he not been given up.

EURASIA ARRIVES.

Cement-laden Ship in Royal Road From London.

The Globe Navigation Company's steam-ship Eureka has been chartered to carry coal between Seattle and San Francisco. Minor repairs and an overhauling are to ice made at Quartermaster harbor. The company's steamship Meteor has also been chartered for three voyages, carrying coal between Ladysmith, Vancouver Island, and San Francisco. The Meteor is now at Ladysmith. Her charterers are the West-ern Fuel Company, of San Francisco. Each vessel carries about 3,000 tons of coal.

sel in trouble with the M. S. Dollar, but as no lives appear to have been lost the incident is not causing any special works, and the streamship was fully insured. The amount of insurance was not given out for publication.

The ressel was chartered by Harry J. Hart and the cargo, which consisted of lay, oats, barley and a little lumber, is said to have been insured in London. The M. S. Dollar flies the British flag. She was formerly the Arab and is well known in San Francisco. She left that place Dec. 31. She cleared for Moji, but it was generally understood that sie and take her cargo into Vladivostock. She has reached Vladivostock. Whether the steamship will be floated will probably not be known for a few will probably a cargo of cement, which is consigned in part to Victoria and part

The Queen City, Capt. Townsend, reached port yesterday from Cape Scott and way ports on the Vancouver Island coast. The steamer had a rough passage, a heavy gale being encountered or Tuesday and Wednesday last when the steamer was near Cape Scott. There was a fair complement of passengers including W. J. Sutton, a well known mining expert; Mesers, Pearson and Mo

LOWER YUKON TRADE.

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THE EDNA MAY BURNED.

Milford, Conn., Jan. 28.—The tug dana May, Capt. Noble, of Troy, N., ., under charter to the J. P. Sanderson o., was burned today. The tug was xty feet long, was built at Albany, N. ., and valued at \$10,000. Only a part f the loss is covered by insurance.

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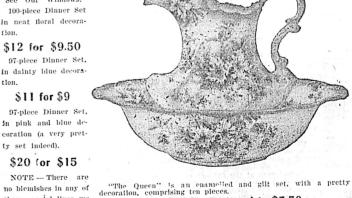
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El manuscranica de la la company de la compa

The return of Edna Wallace Hopper to the ranks of legitimate comedy after several seasons of marked success in works of a musical nature is welcomed by patrons of the theatre, although there is considerable diversity of opinion as to the vehicle which Frank McKee, her manager, has selected for her present starring tour. This is "A Country Mouse," by one Arthur Law, of which so discriminating a critic as Blanche Partington of the San Francisco Call writes thus scathingly: "The London of Mr. Law is the London of Pinero in "The Gay Lord Quex"; of Henry Arthur Jones in, say, "Joseph Entangled"; of R. C. Carton in "Wheels Within Wheels." It is only less nice—as Oscar Wilde would have delighted in not saying. The Faubourg Germain has nothing to learn from Mr. Law's Park Lane. His people throughout the cast, with the exception of the Galliculy ridiculous deceived husband, a charwoman and a butler who desires to die respectable and therefore gives notice because pingpong and the "Prince of Pilsen" are played on Sundays, are as frankly immoral as the best Parisian society of the stage.

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Lady Sylvia Bowlby and Violet Aynsey are discovered. They are smoking skilfully, and discoussing Lady Bowlby is over. Lady Bowlby has decided to "fly." Bowlby is a member of the House of Commons, never asks what his wife spends and dines at home only when he is invited. His wife's lover is poor, but, is Lady Bowlby tells Miss Aynsley, her rusband has settled £200,000 upon her, which "in these cases is not interfered with." "Take my tip." Miss Aynsley advises, "it's not worth it."

"But you don't know, you have never seen in love," Lady Bowlby sighs. It is then Miss Aynsley's turn.

"Oh, haven't I?" she asks, "Why do out hink I am here tonight?"

Miss Aynsley is there to meet Lord Bob's "love" beins only with the wedding ring.

"Does he love you?" Lady Sylvia asks. Plats and that proof Miss Aynsley then dduces, ending with "He writes me then ost beautiful letters."

"Ah," says Lady Sylvia, asks. "But he doesn't sign them," says Miss Violet, "and they're all typewriten. It wonder if I'm the only recipient—""

Of this situation the dramatist makes zood enough fun himself, when he later makes Lord Bob play the injured swann who has been received into loving an unmarried woman.

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matinee tomorrow at 3.

The management are still keeping faith with the amusement-loving public by presenting each week a long and varied programme of novelties. Theatrical fousiness, as a rule after the holidays, is always on the decline, but the Savoy has "held its own," and by presenting an unusually clever bill of vaudeville and burlesque the past week, large crowds have nightly shown their appreciation. The opening number, "John Bull and Uncle Sam in the Orient," was a catchy one and afforded the stock company an opportunity to introduce many musical numbers and effective costumes, which, with good stage settings and comedy interpolations, served the purpose of pleasing. Smith and Ellis met with a warm welcome upon their reappearance. the senile Duke of St. Kitts in the last act.

Clever the play undoubtedly is, its situations highly ingenious, its dialogue bright; but in the heavier English hand-with fair success. Miss Rodgers is



Wm. MULLEN, Platt Fanning Company.

Perdie, when its dramatists get through with it, there will be almost as little left of London as the Central has left us of New York.

New York.

The curtain-raiser, "Captain January," which is given with "A Country Mouse," is as fragrantly charming as "A Country Mouse" is not. Here Miss Hopper appears as a child of ten with striking illusion. And here Mr. Everton shows a portrait of an old sailor, powerful, touching, convincing, that is one of the best things of its kind seen here. The play is all about a child rescued by an old sailor, the two living together in a far-way lighthouse, and is a little idyll.

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called "The Pacific Coast girl with the process," for example, possible and auburn hair." The olio presented many fielfful. There isn't an ideal in the auburn hair." The olio presented many fielf the poorest little rag of one 'riety, which is the spice of life. Comere is not one sweet or fine thing done ring the whole play, not one fine thing d. One laughs with shame and comes ay with a bad taste in one's teeth, retriet, when its drammatists get through Lottle Ellis, Bob Hewlette, Man Mul. Lottle Ellis, Bob Hewlette, Man Mul. Lottie Ellis, Bob Hewlette, Mac Malqueen, Jim Rowe and Kate De Vinto in the principal roles, supported by the entire strength of the Savoy stock company, will be the opening number. Among the vaudeville features that follow may be mentioned Miles, Carbonette and Paloma, operatic duettists; Harriet Belmont, singer and dancer; Mae Mulqueen, in coon melodies; Minnie Adams, new illustrated songs; Grace Cleveland, soubrette; Bernice Rodgers, high-class isalladist; Jim Rowe, comedian; Mile, Laurendeau, baritone, and Smith and Ellis in one of their many comedy and character playlets.

one think of willows or slimly bending pines. She is withal of a frugal genius, and economical to a degree that would evoke plaudits from Hetty Green of Russell Sage. She told me this herself.

"It was when she came from her cressing room ready to go on for the second net. I chanced to be on the stage. Allss Irvin was gorgeous in a red dress—arterial red. She swung around, with the remark:

"Do you see this dress? Cost \$180—and I hate parting with money.' The first night I had it on Jint Ford spoiled it.'

—and I'll wear it out if it kills me.'"

Frank Moore's company, which has pleased Crystal theatre audiences during the past week, will offer on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings next, a musical comedy yelept "Mr. Fresh from 'Frisco," written by Phil Fischer and in which will be introduced musical numbers and ensembles provided especially for this company by Mr. Moore. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Mr. Moore and his company will be seen in a musical absurdity entitled "The Village Council," by George H. Harding, who has an enviable reputation as a writer of really clever farce stuff. In this clever conceit every member of the company is said to be seen to marked advantage, Mr. Moore playing a schoolboy part, that of Willie Simpleton Wadley, son of Rube Wadley, chairman of the village causeil. Willie hes bivon the

popular matinees on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

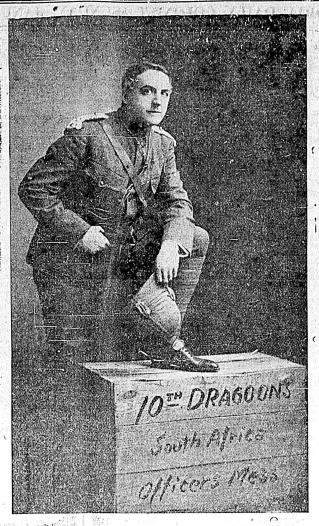
"The Bonnie Brier Bush," that admirable stage version of Inn Maclaren's Scottish folk tales, with J. H. Stoddart and Reuben Fox in the principal roles, comes to the Victoria theatre on the 21st and 22nd February. Mr. Stoddart's interpretation of the exacting role of the old shepherd with his mistaken notions of right and wrong, has been pronounced by critics of both press and profession one of the most finished characterizations now to be seen on the stage of this country. It is questionable if ever such a convincing representation of the hard, religious old Scot has ever been put before us. Reuben Fax is a close second to Mr. Stoddart in his consistent portrayal of the good-hearted postman, Archibald McKittrick, in which character he adds the ligher touches and contributes much of the humor in which this comedy abounds. Among the associate players are a number who have been connected with "The Bonnie Brier

bill for the first half of the coming week than the one they have chosen in "The Man from Mexico," a comedy made famous by William (then Willie) Collier, who presented: 'The Dictator' at the Victoria theatre last Tuesday. "The Man from Mexico" works the full cast of the Redmond theatre's excellent stock company, the role created by Mr. Collier being sustained by Mr. Fanning. The comedy tells the story of a young man who "went out for a bit of a time" and incidentally gets thirty days in the skookum house in consequence. While in duress he sends a letter to his wife explaining that he has been suddenly called to Mexico on business, and to make good, he peturus to the scene in the last act in full Mexican costume—but in the meantime a, world of fun has developed. All the scenery will be renewed for this production. For the week end the bill will be the greatest of Russian melodramas, "Siberia," a play of especial interest and value at the present time—which, by the way, is now running in New York at the Academy of Music. For "Siberia," too, the management promise revelations in the scenic art. Last week the Bret Harte comedy-drama, "Tennessee's Pardner" and the Tunnas classic "Monte Cristo," as played by James O'Neill, gave every satisfacton to patrons of this house.

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It is remarkable with what persistence Miss Rose Cecela Shay continues to illuminate the American stage as a star. Each senson regularly her light goes out, but the next fall always sees her mame in black type on the bill-boards. And probably it will so long as papa in Cincinnati continues to play good angel. Two years ago, shortly after playing an engagement here, the opera company broke up in Toronto, the cature of the dissolution being a light between two of the men in authority in ewis and others—stop starring, ; ood engagement and stay with it.

Recently Charles B. Hanford related some of his experiences in the South. One night after playing "Othello" in a Southern town, he left the theatre and sauntered down the street in the wake of a pariy of negro theatregoers. "How did you like that air play, Mrs. Johnsing?" asked one portly black of his companion.
"I liked it right well, but I didn't seem to care for dat scene where da' colored gemmun kills Mrs. Othello," was the reply.



WHITE WHIT I LESEY as "KIT" In "The Second in Command"

sonal friend of one of the best known entertainment promoters offered Sir Henry £550 a week if he would appear in a music hall performing "A Story of Waterloo." Sir Henry excaimed: "Mu-sic ball? Shull, it all you something? in a music hall performing A Story of Waterloo." Sir Henry excainmed: "Music thall? Shall I stell you something? It is the music hall that has rained the theatre and the theatrical prozession. The detestable music hall!" Then, calming down, he said: "It is time I retired."

sented at the Victoria early in February.

The most profane bird on earth is probably the old-man cockatoo haunting the paint loft in the Melbourne Princess theatre. Recently an imported actress ventured to caress this remarkable bird. "Pretty cocky," she said. "Cocky is a pretty bird."

Cocky rounded on her, ruffled h's crest, and stated all the cuss words he was acquainted with. The actress listened, horror-stricken, until cocky, had finished, and then she said:

"Heavens, what a stage manager he would make!"

would make!"

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Not since the days of the first Amer-

Not since the days of the first American tours of the celebrated English Gaiety Company, whose marvelous quartette of dancers in long skirts was the sensation of America, has anything so completely dwarfed it as the now famous "Champagne Dance," which, in point of novelty, music, business and costumes, is probably the most fetching dance ever given on the stage. The Champagne Dance is only one of the many features which will be seen it "The Silver Slipper," which comes to Victoria on the evening of February 16

famous, Nell Gwynne's for instance, and a Greek sandal that is several years older than Christianity. Her pet is an with Henry Miller, and now starring

old Roman slipper, worked in bright col-

"Siberia," which will be the bill at the Redmond theatre the latter part of the week, is the famous melodrama from the

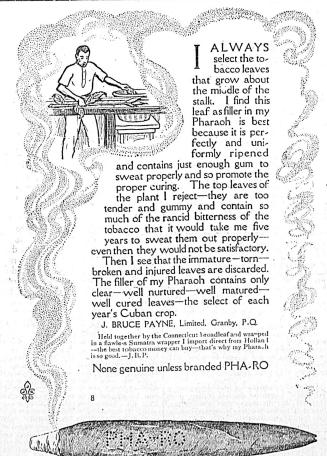
Charles B. Hanford was recently asked for his opinion on the revival of Shakespeare. "In my opinion," Mr. Hanford answered, "there is no revival of Shakespeare. Shakespeare has neverneeded reviving. The trouble is that actors have too often sought Shakespeare in the hope of reviving their own mor.bund art."

Innes and his band, on tour this coming summer, will cover approximately 20,000 miles in travel—something unprecedented in the history of any similar organization. This includes a trip to and a two mouths' tour of the Pacific Coast—the longest every attempted by a band in this region. The tour will start from Chicago April I.

Edna Wallace Hopper, who comes here as "A Country Mouse" on the 9th of February, first made her mark in conedy with Charles Frohman's Empire Stock Commany in the original residence.

Snitz Edwards, who made his first his in "A Dangerous Maid," afterwards he coming an important member of the Weber and Field's forces, has the chief comedy part with "The Silver Slipper," here on the 16th proximo.

Mme. Melba sings in Vancduyer next



"The Eternal Feminine," is being so-licited to take up "In the Bishop's Car

Jack Munroe is now appearing as sparring partner with Jim Jeffries in the latter's production of "Davy Crockett" and is proving a drawing eard.

"Mrs. Leffingwell's Boots," Augustus Thomas' latest, is said to be by no means his best.

Jessie McLachlan, the Scottish prima doma, has reached her beloved Winni-peg in the course of her Western Cana-dian tour.

Blanche Walsh has made another failure in "The Kreutzer Sonata." Will she never find the right play? The prices for the family vaudeville ouses are advancing all along the coast

Again rumor has it that Warde and Vokes will hortly dissolve partnership.

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if truly believe that it would prove the imost important step toward human and national development and advancement were there, by law, appointed government phrenologists to examine the skull development of every school child, and decide as to what each should study, and toward what path in life he should, by preparation, be turned.

To the phrenologists, also, should be left the decision as to the method of discipline required for each disposition, that he might most beneficially be controlled.

that he might most beneficially be controlled.

Note the skull formations of the lion and the deer, and recall their characteristics. Could you imagine some ruling mough blindly training them for an exchange of life work, or striving to discipline each by the law of the rod?

Yet helpless humanity is as blindly trained into paths unsuited to the life walk God has set before them, because neither parents nor teachers can tell what is the talent enclosed in each individual brain. IAnd the sensitive child who never forgets the sting of degradation is beaten; the stubborn, thick-skinned boy is coased and flattered; and the child who cares for nobody's ridicule is vainly "shamed" into good behavior, according to the humor or fad of the elders in power, and not according to the unchanging law of individual requirements.

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ships or affections, though you may honestly entertain the sentiments.
You have a place for everything, and are in misery it an article is found out of its proper position; your mental affairs are arranged in the same orderly manner. You have no ideas beyond the strictly material; what you cannot see for yourself you do not believe in. You have no patience with those who believe that which you cannot feel and understand. The spiritual, the occult, are to you the greatest of "fool nonsense," they even anger you. I will tell you what you must believe: First, you have your own fixed ideas as to your own contrary to those ideas, you will not credit, or even consider. You have been unable to break away from the conditions of life which have surrounded you; in early life your parents held and guided out of the past will not restore the lost brightness will not restore the lost brightness to your. If the shadows of their unavailing menory?

The troubles which we are honestly awaring as are the troubles to which we are honestly promy and reach forth with grouping hands.

Bear courageously those troubles which and bitter lesson. When the lesson is learned, the trouble will be removed by the truly chosen your own path in life. You have been unable to break away from the conditions of life which have surrounded you; in early life your parents held and guided to break away from the conditions of life which have surrounded you; in early life your parents held and guided to break away from the conditions of life which have surrounded you; in early life your parents held and guided to break away from the conditions of life which have surrounded you; in early life your parents held and guided to break away from the conditions of life which have surrounded your life which have

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Answer. It would be best for that

have reproduced, tells me you are frankly candid, and one must needs feel a liftle warm spot glowing in the heart for a girl of the delineation given nail-biters iff our "Character Study."

From your writing, I see that the characteristic of candor is yours, aside from any words, which might give the impression, but would not, after all, be scientific proof.

You are truthful, affectionate, and not overconfident at all times. You are ambitious and have some rather original ideas. But make a print of your hand, and let me hear from you again.

"Perplexed."—I want your true opinion as to what should be a young wife's dress allowance from her husband, whose income is \$4,000 or \$5,000 a year.

They live in town and entertain fairiy often. Her husband is particular about her dress, but neither wish to be extravagant.

Answer. It would be best for that

"Nancy Lee."—Will you kindly repeat the directions for preparing the prints of the hand for readings. I have lost my paper containing them, and have watched for their repetition.

trayagant.

Answer. It would be best for that young couple to take an hour or two by themselves, and go carefully over all necessary expense lists, not forgetting even the incidental necessities, such as new music and books, unexpected journers, etc. Ignorance of your mutual and individual tastes, mode of living, etc., render this adjusting of finances impossible to a stranger. After a carefully over the blaze does not rest on one spot for a candle, taking care not to burn it. In 4 ounces of alcohol dissolve half an unuce of shellac. This is a fixative and will do for a number of prints.

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If you wish to be economical, you can do very nicely with \$50 a month. Still, this is a matter where the woman herself is the best judge. She may not consider \$150 "extravagant"; there is no latitude nor longitude for that word; it is gaseous.

"Shinbone"—Will send the information you ask for next Sunday, as I have misla'd a recipe which I am certain would please you. Am sorry to keep you waiting.

"Bill's Wife" wishes to retain her wouth but flucks for the sex place.

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"Bill's Wife" wishes to retain her youth, but finds a few wrinkles appearing, and her face growing "flabby," with a very oily skin.

Go over those wrinkles daily with gentle, soothing massage with the finger balls across the wrinkles, and with rotary motions, not severe lengthwise of the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the blood in the little creases; just to get the little creases; just to get the little creases; just to retain her hand from the paper; is too light, you have not pressed too heavily upon the paper; if too dark, you have not pressed the little will not rub office.

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If seven maids with seven mops
Swept it for half a year,
'Do you suppose,' the Walrus said,
"That they could get it clear?"
"I doubt it," said the carpenter,
And shed a bitter tear.

ELEANOR TO BETTY

Chatty Letter on Local Society Topics

(Written for the Sunday Colouist.)

Dear Betty—After years of moral ship, Lewis Carrol's lines came irreservitude, I am thankful to say the feminine and weaker sex (in using the word weaker I except one member of "Do you suppose," the Walrus said, the female anatomy) have been at last proved superior and their good sense has waged a fierce though bloodless contest. The stock question of the average medice on being consulted has always been "Do you lace tight?" Perich the thought, weak-minded disciple of medicine! What self-respecting woman would answer but in the negative? Byer since the invention of these articles of feminine apparel, doctors and lusbands have put down every allment the female form divine is affireted with "to corsets." And I, subdued and saddened by the acknowledged discrepancy in gray brain matter between my better indicated. For years the corset war has waged a fierce though bloodless con-

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we are told it was accounted riches for a man' to own a straw mattress after being married seven years, Mrs. Shakerspeare must have counted herself wealthy to come off even with the second best bed. As you know, the poet was born in Stratford-on-Avon, 1504, on the 23rd of April, dying on that very same day 52 years later. As to his ancestry, Mr. Malone, after worrying himself about the subject for thirty years or more, came to the conclusion that, though the poet's ancestors were of "good figure and fashion," the term "gentleman" could not be applied to any of them, and only to Shakespeare himself as the latter end of his life. In fact, we find that his progenitor had the terrible smirch of trade upon his name, supplying his customers with leathern hose, aprons, belts, etc.; he is also required to have made some gloves for Queen Elizabeth, of which article, to judge by the number preserved to this day in old houses in England, the virgin Queen must have had a goodly supply. Perchance sho was pondering on her unpaid glover's account as she walked in maiden meditation, fancy free. In the old Roman days Stratford-on-Avon was a town of considerable importance, as the two Roman roads running cast. Today my Lord of Amiens and myself Did steal behind him as he lay along. Under an oak whose antique roots peep out Upon the brook that brawls along the wood.

And again:

Under an oak, whose boughs were moss'd with age,
And high top bald with dry antiquity. And high top bald with dry antiquity.

It is in this play a lioness is introduced, "With udders all drawn dry," an unusual animal in either England or France in those days, but this is explained by the times he lived in, when lish of enormous proportions were reported to have come up the Thames, six feet between the eyes; anarvelous comets appeared; moons of marvelous dimensions appeared in the heavens; in fact, the spirit of the age, the belief in the supernatural and unusual, was so deep-rooted that it would have been impossible for a nature like the poet's, impressionable and open to every influence, not to have been affected by it. Shakespeare married, at the age of 10, one Anne Hathaway, seven years older than himself. It has been inted that, owing to the difference in their ages, his heave life aves not harmy, and that his home life was not happy, and that it drove him to take refuge in the gentle art of deer-stalking, but I rather fancy his habits dated from an earlier time and were remnants of the days when he hunted conies and deer in the shades of Arden. He seems to have resented very much the owner of the deer prosecuting him for his onslaughts, and his first attempts at poetry seem to have been leveled at him. Sir Thomas Lucy, whom he afterwards immortalizes in the character of Shallow in "The Merry Wives of Windsor" his home life was not happy, and tha

Persuade me not; I will make a star chamber matter of it; if he were twenty Sir John Fulstaffs, he shall not abuse Robert Shallow, Esquire."

that he stayed here three days too long, and that our minds evidently could not appreciate anything but variet; shows, still wrangle in my bosom—remarks we thoroughly deserve, as he played to empty houses, and, no matter how appreciative an audience may be, when appreciation is condensed into fifty or so auditors, an actor requires to have intensely refined sensibilities to quite excuse their lack of number. "Multum in parvo" is hardly the expression he cares to apply to them.

Alas! Betty. Here have I been cantering away on my Pegasus, which in the end is a sorry old prosimante, and you, most faithful of friends, have been waiting for your weekly receipt. Here is something extra nice to make up for it.

Princess Pudding—One gill cream, 1/2 ource gelatine, I gill orange juice, yolks 3 eggs, whites 4 eggs, 2 ounces sugar, 10 drops levuen juice, 10 drops cochineal. Mode—Dissolve the gelattine in the cream over the fire, not allowing it to boil; remove and add the volks of

sugar, 10 drops lenon juice, 10 drops cochineal. Mode—Dissolve the gelatine in the cream over the fire, not allowing it to boil: remove and add the yolks of eggs, well beaten; return to the stove and stir till it thickens (not boils), then add the sugar: pour it into a basin, add the orange juice, lemon and cochineal. Beat the whites to a stiff froth till they will bear an unbroken egg, then stir is lightly to the mixture; stir till cold, then place in a jelly mold. Garnish with whipped cream and any bright jelly.

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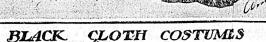
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BROWN CLOTH

COSTUME

would be too much monotony in so many gowns all made just alike, but the difference in color and in the fancy buttons, not to mention the leather and pique turnover collars and cuffs, entirely transforms the coat, and the skirts are different in shape and effect.

The short skirt has proved itself essential to feminine happiness and welfare, and there is no chance whatever that the fashion will not last for some time to come. In the more elaborate cloth gowns intended for reception wear, even though they be rather simple in design, long skirts are the rule as yet, but there are many indications that point to the fact that for the next six months or more all street gowns will have the short skirt rather than the long. Veiling silk and many of the lighter weight materials intender for the spring and summer will be made up after this style even when elaborately trimmed.

One reason (this is not the first time the statement has been made) that the

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The short skirt has proved itself essential to feminine happiness and welfact, and there is no change whatever, and there is no change whatever, and there is no change whatever, even though they be rather simple in design, long they be rather simple in design, long skirts are the rule as yet, but there are many indications that one could need that the short skirt rather than the long. Veiling sikk and many of the lighter weight materials intended for the spring and summer well be made up at the control of the statement has been made) that the short skirt is more and more fashionable all the time is because such a degree of perfection in cut and fit has been in the short skirt is more and more fashionable all the time is because such a degree of perfection in cut and fit has been made) that the short skirt is more and more fashionable all the time is because such a degree of perfection in cut and fit has been such in this length and the containing the ground and yet long enough to hide the feet, fifting close around the high and you to strained fight around the figure—these are among in the principal reasons why the short skirt is more and more as in this length and more and the principal skip and many the light is stingly be principal to contain the containing the ground and yet long enough to hide the feet, fifting close around the high and you not strained the first principal skip and many the short skirt is more and more as a strained and principal skip and many the short skirt is more and more as a strained and principal skip and many the short skirt is more and more as a strained and being more hide and the strained and principal skip and many the short skirt is more and more as a strained and the strai

pastel shade, neither dark nor particularly light, leading in the spring colors. For the cars or the steamer deck colors are always most appropriate, so that navy or even a real Yale blue are excellent. Not only in linen are the exaggeratedly or even a real Yale blue are excellent. Not only in linen are the exaggeratedly long jackets to the seen, for one of the most attractive. French models that has been seen is of blue basket weave cheviot, made with skirt plaited only below the knees, while the coat is absolutely plain and tight fitting, reaching to within a few inches of the hem of the skirt itself. From a little below the waist line the jacket is slightly rounded, so that the cloth does not double over in the way which is most ungraceful, as well as rendering the costume unpleasantly and unnecessarily warm.

Save for the weddings and a few funcheous and matinees, there are not many occasions when a dressy afternoon costume is required during the early spring months, and yet an elaborate cloth gown is always very necessary and sorely missed if not included in the outfit. Light shades predominate in these costumes and smooth cloths are more in demand than rough goods. The majority of elaborate coats are plaited and tucked to a degree generally made to blouse over a wide stitched or plaited girdle. Sleeves must be full with this short, dressy jacket, although plain and dight fitting with other coats. Broad cuffs are seen, which may be embroidered in thisway, or else stitched or finished in some way so as not to look overplain. Jabots of Jace are again employed to finish the front of the coat and soft lace is always becoming against the throat.

White cloth tailor costumes for spring and summer are again fashionable. They are on more elaborate lines than those of white serge and are often braided or made with insertions of applique of heavy lace. The coat and shirt design, with the blouse of lingerie, is still in favor, and it is marvelous how many different models there are that look so unlike, although the f

A member of the faculty of the University of Chicago tells of the sad cass of a young woman from Indiana whe was desirous of attaining social prominence in Chicago.

of a young woman from Indiana who was desirous of attaining social prominence in Chicago.

Soon after her arrival there she made the acquaintance of a student at the university to whom she took a great fancy. Evidently it was at this time that she realized for the first time her early education had been neglected, for she said to a friend:

"I suppose that, as he is a college man, I'll have to be awful careful what I say. What will I talk about to him?"

The friend suggested history as a safe topic. To her friend's astonishment, she took the advice seriously and shortly commenced in earnest to "bone up" in English history.

When the young man called the girl listened for some time with ill concealed impatience to his talk of football, outdoor meets, dances, etc., but finally she decided to take the matter in her own hands. She had not done all that reading for nothing. So, a pause in the conversation affording the desired opportunity, she suddenly exclaimed, with considerable vivacity:

"Wasn't it awful about Mary, Queen

conversation affording the desired opportunity, she suddenly exclaimed, with considerable vivacity:

"Wasn't it awful about Mary, Queen of Scots?"

"Why, what's the matter?" stammered the student, confused.

"My gracious!" almost yelled the girl from Indiana. "Didn't you know? Why, the poor thing had her head cut off!"—Harper's Weekly.

WHY HE WAITS.

"I went to the trial of that brain-testing machine," he said.
"Yes?" she returned wearily.
"I let them try it on me," he contin-ued, feeling sure he would arouse her interest in due time.
"Yes?" she responded, with the same evident weariness.
"It didn't work," he persisted.
"Of course not," she said, with some-emphasis.
It took him some time to figure it all

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Mines and Mining

Early History In Prospecting for Lode Mines---The Hope Silver Mines.

The historians of British Columbia ave fully established the date of the arliest prospecting for placer gold, in act as Mr. James Moore of Quesnelle s a survivor of the first party of pioters who discovered place? gold on the raser river there is no reason why any ambiguity should exist with regard to he date of this important era in the listory of British Columbia.

With regard to the earliest prospecting for plode mines it is very difficult to trive at any exact date. Many people robably are of the impression that prospecting for placer and quartz began contenuated with the habits and characteristics of the pioneers in mining know very well that the old-time placer miner paid but very little if any attention to quartz, as long as the placer mines held out, and it is very unlikely that the early pioneers on the Fraser river and in the Cariboo country gave any thought to quartz, at any rate while the placer mines paid good wages.

The fact that stampedes were organizat to the Carsian and Omineca countried to the carsian and Omineca

initiality in transporting machinery as rell as the excessive cost for freight.

I am inclined to think that the vicing of Hope was probably the scene of searly if not the earliest prospecting or lode mines in the province. Accientally in conversation with a pioneer obtained a brief account of the facts elative to some discoveries of what he leative to some discoveries of what he countains, situated about seven miles outherly from the village of Hope on the south side of the Fraser river.

The exact date of the record of the rest located mineral claim known as the "Dunbar and Schooley," after the ames of the original locators can I resume be obtained in the land and orders department, but it is hardly of afficient importance, so far as mention to this article is concerned, to warrant to expenditure of time necessary to obtain that information. That it must have been a considerable period presiding in Victoria made a complete reverse of the following mineral claims:

reproduction of a sketch of the in which these mineral claims ated, which would show clearly tracter of the mountains, and the character of the mountains, and the culties these men had to overcome to be the float from point to point, until ledge was discovered, would be the une of some of the most rugged and spiritous mountain peaks in the entire

st range.

or example, the "Victoria" claim,
ch is the highest in altitude, is sitd about 5,500 feet above the sead, and over 1,000 feet above timber
in the midst of perpetual snow.

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From my informant I could only tlean the merest outline of a description with regard to the actual occurrence of he ore bodies, but from that I formed he impression that the discoverers found floot in a gulden or canyon and after tracing it on to the "Dunbar and Schooley" claim, which is situated at a considerably lower altitude than the Victoria, discovered ledge or vein veraging about three feet in width and carrying values sometimes running as juich as 200 or 300 ounces to the ton in

Mr. R. P. Rithet of Victoria.

few tons monthly of ores that reach as I could learn, is owned principally by Mr. R. P. Rithet of Victoria.

One of the peculiar features connected with the location of these mineral claims is the variable area contained in each; for instance, the original "Dunbar" claim, according to the plan, is 360 feet long by 250 feet which, while the "Yale" claim adjoining it is 1,980 feet lone by 400 feet wide, and the "Victoria" claim about twice the size of the "Dunbar," while the "Enreka" contains about the same area as the "Yale."

An examination of this property would certainly arrow interesting, and if the information I received relative to the value of the ore and size of the ore body should be verified, it would appear as though the property would pay for further development, and that possibly it much be determined that it was a mine of considerable value.

Of course at that early date ore even of seed was as the insecessible mountain the ore could have been mined and shipped to Swausea at a small margin of profit. The greatest difficulty would have been found in transporting the ore from the mountain to the Praser river, but today these difficulties are very materially recould have been mined and shipped to Swausea at a small margin of profit. The greatest difficulty would have been found in transporting the ore from the mountain to the Praser river, but today these difficulties are very materially recould have been mined and shipped to Swausea at a small margin of profit. The greatest difficulty would have been found in transporting the ore from the mountain to the Praser river, but today these difficulties are very materially recould have been found in transporting the ore from the mountain to the Praser river, but today these difficulties are very materially recould have been found in transporting the ore from the mine has peptide for all troubles such as Palpitation of the Palp

come in its erection.

Eye the meagre facts which I have facen able to obtain are interesting in a mining community because at the present time but little attention has been end by prospectors to the mountain rarges in that section of the province, atthough on the opposite side of the granuit of the Coast range, and in the single-phood of the trail which connects Hope with the Similkameen councils.

try, prospectors have been exploring for the past few years, and especially during 1900, when, there being possible prospect of a railroad being built across the mountains, several discoveries of silver ore were reported from a camp known as "Summit," but because of its remottness gid inaccessibility there has been but little activity in the district since.

W. M. BREWER.

GRANBY SMET/TER.

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GRANBY SMET/TER.

are 401,921 tons for 1903, and 596,202 for 1904. Of this latter amount, the company's own mines at Phoenix furnished 549,703 tons, leaving a balance of 46,540 tons that came from outside mines, in the Boundary, Republic, Ymir, Rossland and Orient and other camps. The production, by months, was as follower.

7	Month.	Tonnage.
2	January	57.255
9	February	56,980
8	March	55,760
	April	47.512
	May	46,467
-	June	48,641
f	July	37,042
3	August	47,308
r.	October	45.714
8	November	49.411
e	December	52,361
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S	1904 total	596,252

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There has been considerable grospecting done on the island by prospectors. Mr. H. Wolburn has been at work for some months on some properties he owns in association with others, and a nice showing of ore has been encountered in the progress of the work.

Mr. J. Edwards has stuck most persistently to his prospect, and with very satisfactory results, too. There are others too numerous to mention who have not down into the ground a lot of

indicate that the mine is reasonably certain to do better this year.

The Theis company, near Fort Steele, B. C. has a shaft sunk and is drifting on bedrock. The Perry Creek Hydraulic Company is also prospecting gravel by drifting on bedrock. The principal objective point of the Thompson company is the finding of an ancient channel, an unknown area of 'wigin ground, the existence of 'which has been proved by drifts in shafts sunk. A number of men are engaged in active mining operations, chiefly in taking out pay gravel from the old channel of Perry creek, now being tapped by these drifts.

r are getting the major portion of the 5 bounty on lead. They claim they n ship to Europe, and that the charges freight, treatment, retining and marting will not be \$3 per ton more than cal smelters are charging resident ores, is believed the Marysville, B. C., nelter, which should start in thirty tys, will be an active purchaser of es, and, if so, there is some relief in the charge of the start of the charge of the ch

BRUCE WHITE AFTER ALPHA

ent among the owners

POWER PLANT IN THE LARDEAU

Thirteen hundred feet of wooden pine arrived at Beaton, B. C., last week for the Elwood Tinworkers' Mining Company, to be used for conducting water from Mohawk creek to the Silver Dollar mill for power purposes. F. C. Green, P. L. S., was at the Silver Dollar surveving the different claims which comprise this group.

BOUNDARY TREATS 40,000 TONS. That Is the Output of the Big Mines for Three Weeks.

for Three Weeks,

Phoenix, B. C., Jan. 28,—Boundary mines ore shipments and smelter treatment for the nast week were as follows: Granby mines to Granby swelter, 6,990 tens; Mother Lode to B. C. Conper Co.'s smelter, 2,984 tans; Brooklyn to Moutregl & Boston smelter, 1,938 tons; Surset to Moutreal & Boston smelter, 63 tons; Mountain Rose to B. C. Copper and Moutreal & Boston smelter, 63 tons; Mountain Rose to B. C. Copper smelters, 627 tons; Or Denoro to Granby smelter, 99 tons; Senator to Granby smelter, 99 tons; Senator to Granby smelter, 99 tons; Senator to Granby smelter, 91 tons; Or Denoro to Granby smelter, 91 tons; Or Denor to Granby smelter, 92 tons; Senator to Granby smelter, 627 tons; Copper Smelter, 91 tons; Senator to Granby smelter, 627 tons; Copper Smelter treated 2,192 tons, and the Moutreel & Boston smelter treated 2,123 tons this week, making a total of 12,651 tons for the week, or 40,644 tons treated at the district smelters this year.

EVA STAMP MILL RUNS AGAIN. Camborne Property Has Been Com-pletely Overhauted.

The stanus at the Eva mill, near Camborne, B. C., commenced to dron January 4, when the mill was nut into commission for the first time since one children were suspended last Avenst owing to the train and mine buildings being lumped out by a forest fire. All the machinery has been successfully overbuild. The train which has been rebuild, went into commission on the same day. Owing to all the colles being bread new, the train is working a little stiff. Construction of the baby train,

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 23.—(Special said. Made her lungs heal and grow Correspondence)—The almost miraculous strong, and put the flesh back on the cures of hopeless invalids made by Prof. Thomas ?. Adkin of this city have been for such a startling character that they are considered in the startling character that they are considered in the considered and admit here.

health. I am or a millionaire, but I am well able to frort to give my services free to the six and afflicted. My discovery is my pwn, to do with as I please, and I end charge every patient a thousand doln's if I wanted to. But I don't. And Ikinow of no law to compel me to tak money for restoring a man to health. I' do not care what the disease is, I, at just as ready to cure consumption, cleer, paralysis, Bright's disease or any o' the so-called incurable diseases as I in to cure rheumadism, stomach troube, catarth, blood disorders, or any ohe ill that flesh is heir to. I am just as ready and willing to give my service free to the poor man as I am to the rh man. When it are a question f life, or death, sickness or health, the mount of money a man has makes no difference with me. A prince or a paper, I treat them just the same. To meas to the law, all persons are equal. I se and admit of no difference between atients as far as I am concerned. If choose to help all who are ill, withou pay, there is nothing to

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Who staggers 'neath his sin and his de

spair; Go land a hand, and lead him out of

danger,
To heights where he may see the world is fair.

Are filled with spirit forces, strong and

pure.
And fervently these faithful friends shall

Keep thou thy watch o'er others, and endure.

Love threelf last, and thou shalt grow in Love threeff last, and thou shalt grow in spirit
To see, to hear, to know and understand.
The message of the stars, lo, thou shalt hear it.
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Morning. Voluntary—Andante Voluntary—Andante Savage
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Voluntary—Wirgin's Prayer' Massenet
Processional Hymn 270
Psalms for 29th evening Cath. Psalter
Magnificat J. H. Maunder
Anthem—"Seek Ye the Lord" Jr. V. Roberts
Solo, Mr. A. T. Goward.
4 Hymns Organ Recital.
Organ—Overture in F. C. D'Evry
Carol—"The First Christmas Morn".
Organ—Pastorale in E. E. H. Lemarc
Carol—"Sleep, Holy Babe" J. F. Fleid
Organ—(3) Meditation, from "Lux Christi"
(b) Introduction and Prayer from
"Rienzi" Wagner

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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

At St. John's Church, Rev. Percivat
Jenns will preach in the morning, and Rev.
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J. Stanley Arde in the evening. The music be great joy in the heart
of even half-awakened men and women
who realize that almost unlimited power
lies in their hands at this time of year
toward mitigating temporarily the suffering which falls under their motice. I
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purely personal enjoyment.

But if we cannot all buy coal and pay
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Organ—"Be Not Afraid" Mendelsohl Evening Burnett Psalms Cathedral Psalter Magnificat Solution Solution of the Magnificat Solution

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN.
The pastor, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, B. A.,
will preach at both services—morning at 11
and evening at 7. Sunday school, 2:30;
Rible class, 3. The musical portion is as
follows:

Worning.
Voluntary--"Meditation" alm Schuber
46
tthem-"Abide in My Love" Clare Love thyself last. Look near, behold thy duty
To those who walk beside thee down life's road;
Make glad their days by little acts of

Hymns 22, 250, 5
Voluntary—Offertoire Volckmar
Evening Voluntary—Pastorale 4n G Watson
71 Odmurary—raste Trail

71

Anthem—The Eyes of All Wait Upon
Thee" Clare
Tenor solo, Mr. J. L. Gibson.

Hymns 251, 295

Hymns 251, 205
Solo—"The Prince of Peace". Barnard
Miss Frost.
Voluntary—"Triumphal March"
Lemmens

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

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Services will be held at the above church as usual—at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., Dr. Campbell, the pastor, occupying the pulpit. Junior Christian Endeavor Seciety meets every Sabbath morning at 10; Sunday school and Bible class, 2:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to strangers to attend any or all of the services.

VICTORIA WEST METHODIST The pastor, R. J. McIntyre, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. In the morning the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered after the regular service. Evening subject, "is There Communication Between the Dead and the Living," Sunday school and Bible class in the afternoon at 2:30. A welcome awaits you at any these services.

CENTENNIAL METHODIST.

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Rev. J. P. Westman, the pastor, wil

preach at 11 a. m. Subject, "Personal In

fuences." Rev. W. W. Baer, of Nelson

will preach at 7 p. m. Sultable music

will be furnished by the choir. Sunday

school and Bible class at 2:30.

CALVARY BAPTIST.

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Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. At the morning service the pastor will preach. Subject: "Pentecost Outdone—A Modern Revival." The general subject for the evening service will be, "Christ and Young Men." A number of young men will speak briefly, relating "My Testimony for Christ." The addresses will be interspersed with appropriate solos. Special services will be held each evening during the week.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST. EMMANUEL BAPTIST.

Morning service, 11 a. m.; Bable school,
2:30 p. m.; evening services, 7 p. m. The
pastor, Rev. E. Le Roy Dakin, will preach
at both services. Morning subject,
"Steamers." Address will be particularly
to young people. Evening subject, "God's
Way With Man." All are invited and
cordially welcomed. Come.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL.

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Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The pastor, Rev. Hermon A. Carson, B. A., will occupy the pulpit. Morning subject, "The Cleansing of the Temple," In the even ing there will be a service to young men the subject being "The Signs of the Times," Sunday school and Bible classes at 2:30 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. £2, 8:15 p. m.

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ing meal, and that the men servants were provided with beer for breakfast. Fifty years ago, no doubt, the practice was common, and beer was 'drank with every meal, but it was very different from the beer brewed for ordinary consumption in the present day, for although it contained alcohol to a large extent, its lagredients were pure, and it was free from other poisons.

But the reason why such fare is impossible in our time is not far to seek. The life of our forefathers was far less complex. Locomotion was slow, life was lived in comparative calm. A long journey was a big event, undertaken only after much consideration, and generally only by the rich. The men who carried on business in the city lived over their warehouses and offices. The rush of Ere to and fro from suburban districts was unknown. The electric railway, the fram car, the telegraph and telephone were not in existence.

There is, moreover, surely no necessity for our pleasures to centre round the hoard as they did of old. So many other delights are added to life in the way of Charlee and interest and intellectual enjoyment that food may well be placed in the future side by side with such necessary accessories of existence, as our hath and our toilet. When this is accomplished, much will be gained. Intellect will have a freer play when our intercourse is not necessarily associated with eating. When unaterial necessities are not always immediately to the front, then conversation and charm and learning will take their real place, and many who are now not able to entertain their neighbors by giving them a Barmérides, feast will yet be able to welcome them, when the oblication of spending money on food is no longer a necessary part of our social intercourse, or at any rate when refreshment is to be provided, if ten he of such a hanture as to involve but little expense.

our social intercourse, or at any rate when refreshment is to be provided, it can be of such a nature as to involve but little expense.

We seem, however, alas, far from the day at present: Society, so-called, still lives for its food. I remember hearing a few years ago of a rich man who gave a ball in Lendon, and as he welcomed each guest with a hear's handshake, he murmured in his ear. "There are there ortows "for, each of you at supper." Interdustingly for no more.

I know, mother man of wealth and costion whose conversation is reminy continuous of discussional the food that he has accommed at Paris or Moute Caple, in the Sol's, a memory which can hear of wheelesting and his objection, there we have to himself and his objection, the weather than the solid in the solid in

Last night I received a letter

ting in an appearance, H.'s boat was found to be missing, and as a heavy breeze had sprung up, fears began to be entertained that never again would the missing three occupants of the boat be seen by their mates. As under like circumstances many a brave fellow, had lost his life. Ah! yes, many have gone

"To the shores that are white,
Where the waves are so weary,
To the beach that is burdened
With wrecks that are dreary."

New Year Thoughts

By Count Leo Tolstoi.

Another year has gone and left us without fulfilling our hopes of freedom, but bringing us instead untold horrors and miseries.

We dive at a critical time, however, of that there is no doubt, and time for the great change draws nearer every day. The war produces in the minds of men, as does the storm in nature, a wholesome change in this that a movement which ordinarily exists unnoticed hecomes visible. This is a critical time and it is necessary to consider all actions twice before carrying them out.

By Gour greatest thinkers, not only Marchael and Chinese philosophers, Seneca, Plutarch and Chinese, Nemophen, Socrates, Hindoo and Chinese, Nemophen Allower, Socrates, Parker, Ruskin and Amiel and Chinese and Chi

All the struggles of the press, not only the Russian press, but also of the foreign or revolutionary, against the existing and ruling evil are sterile.

It is just the same as to cut the too of weeds—they will grow only still more vigorously. They should be pulled out root and branch, and this only the spirit of true religion, which is powerful and invincible, is able to do.

It seems to me that you have only to listen to the voice of your own heart to find out what to do. If you believe in God and His laws, not only with your lips, but with your heart and soul, you can be in no doubt as to how you should act.

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Read the tenth chapter of Matthew, twenty-sixth to thirty-fourth verse. There it is clearly told what the man should do who believes in God and His laws. And if you are afraid, if you pretend to believe in the orthodox church, then you had better renounce God, because this shows that you care only for things of this earth.

Then you will at least be honest, and neither I nor anybody else has any right to condemn people who have no faith.

faith.

But I do condemn, and every honest man must condemn, those who lie and who pretend to have faith while they have none. It is the hypocrites whom Christ Himself denounced.

all's well that ends well, and many successful sealing trips did the three occupants of the boat share in later on. H. returned to Nova Scotia and settled down there among his acquaintances and relatives, happily and prosperously.

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Evil persons have combined with the idea of God so many lies and falsehoods many the same thing been robbed sevicely and the protection of the same thing had happened, dare no longer seek refuge and decline the hospitality offered them for fear of being robbed and thus continue to travel until their legs can carry them no longer.

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THE SOUNDS OF BATTLE.

In the January World's Work is a curious description of the sounds of battle, written by a correspondent in the Far East:

as a result of these daily studies I have been shocked more and more, not by the ignorance, but by the "civilized savagery" which exists in society today.

Listead of studying and assimilating the rich heritage left µs by those great minds we read newspapers, Zola, Mae terlinck and Ibsen. Oh, how, I should like to change this—to wipe out this terrible condition which is far more horrible condition which is far more horrible than war!

We should spend our lives here not thinking of or fearing, but looking death squarely into the face. Then life besides as they cleave their terrible way through the air above know the true sounds of modern war. The whip-like macks of modern war. The whip-like is cattering bullets, are nothing to the mocking screech of these damned messengers of death as they pursue each messengers of death as they pursue each intervible condition which is far more horrible awd object of their lideous mission. The whole welkin is discordant with their tunult; you feel the rush of misplaced air, splinters sing in your ears, the earth is in constant tremble with their tunult; you feel the rush of misplaced air, splinters sing in your ears, the earth is in constant tremble

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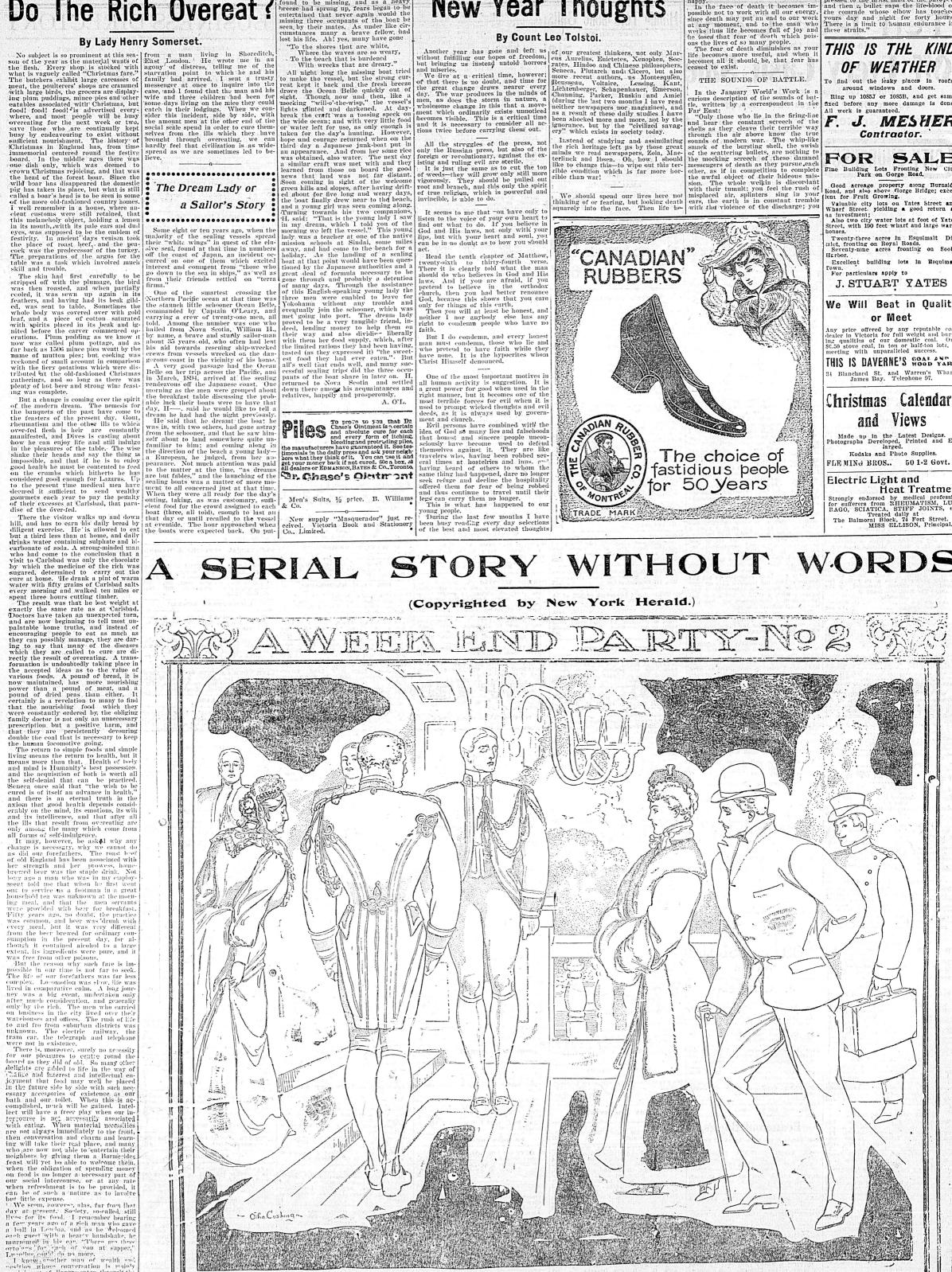
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By T. P. O'Connor in M. A. P.

I often wonder how many people there are who try to carry out in their lives from day to day the canons which they theoretically profess as to the conduct of a gentleman. I am not talking of the very big affairs of life—veracity, integrity in business, discharge of the great social obligations. I am thinking rather of the little things, and I talk of them the more freely because it is little things that make up most of life. I think the safest of rules for a man who wishes to be a gentleman is to try and make some little sacrifice every day. It may

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feel strong again

stupid feeling? To have confidence, self-esteem and the admiration of men and women! Such is the wish of the broken-down person, and it may be gratified. What chance has the weak and puny man to combat the struggles of life compared with the man of muscle and nerve? It is hard for a weak man to have noble sentiments; such things are born of warm blood, healthy nerves and a strong heart. Everything that strength implies is given to the man who will wear

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